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EDMONTON, ALTA.WOODSMEN GIVE UP  
ROY GARDNER SEARCH

McNEIL ISLAND, Wash., Sept. 16.—Roy Gardner has made his escape from McNeil Island, or is hiding in the home of a resident here, according to the four expert woodsmen who have been on the trail of the escaped bandit.

The woodsmen, who were detailed on the hunt by Warden Thomas Maloney, today quit the chase and left for their homes on the mainland. They said they had given up all hope of finding Gardner. Warden Maloney said they were leaving the island to resume their regular work on the mainland.

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HOHENZOLLERN TAKE  
REFUGE AT DOORN

DOORN, Holland, Sept. 16.—The strong feeling against the ultra-conservatives in Germany which has manifested itself since the recent murder of Matthias Erzberger is held to be the cause of several members of the Hohenzollern family leaving Germany and coming to Doorn, where they are expected to remain until they consider that conditions in Germany are favorable to their return.

The ex-emperor's daughter, formerly Princess Victoria Louise, now the Duchess of Brunswick, accompanied by the Duke and their children, arrived here yesterday. With them also was former Prince Adalbert, third son of the ex-ruler. Former Princes Eitel Friedrich and Oscar are expected here shortly. It is understood.

ASSERTS ULSTER  
IS NOT AFFECTED

Sir James Craig Declares Questions at Issue Concern Only South—Papers in Belfast Comment on Situation

BELFAST, Sept. 16.—Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, commenting on the hit in the Irish peace negotiations, declared today his belief that the questions at issue did not affect the six Northern Counties, but were matters for adjustment between the Government and the representatives of Southern Ireland.

Of the other political leaders here, a number pointed to the latest turn in events as confirming the Ulster contention that the republican leaders would prove implacable.

Appeals to Premier Lloyd George and the leaders of the Sinn Fein to make every effort to solve the Irish question are made by The Northern Whig of this city in commenting on the critical situation which developed yesterday when the proposed conference at Inverness was cancelled.

"Premier Lloyd George," the newspaper says, "at last is alive to the futility of endeavoring to conciliate the Sinn Fein leaders, and the only course open to the Government, if it is sincere in its desire to maintain the essential unity of the realm, is immediately to take adequate measures to break the treasonable tyrannies which have three-fourths of Ireland in its grip. The conciliating policy of the last two years, for which a heavy price has been paid, must end."

The Belfast News-Letter says: "Mr. de Valera's reply was more than a refusal of the Government's conditions. It was an ultimatum, and Mr. Lloyd George treated it as such."

The only way out of the deadlock is to surrender the claim of independence for Ireland. The Sinn Fein is now the party of the ways for good or evil to Ireland. The only hope for good lies in abandonment of the impossible."

REIMONTON, Sept. 16.—An investigation into the complaint of "illegal and inhuman treatment," made in behalf of Captain E. L. Janney, the hunger strike leader, has been ordered and will be carried on as soon as possible.

Hon. Alex. Ross, Minister of Public Works, under which the provincial jails are administered, has granted the requests of Janney's solicitors, and the Attorney-General has agreed to E. L. Barker, police magistrate at Cardston, to conduct a full investigation of the case.

It is a strict condition of the inquiry, however, that the hunger strike must be lifted before any further step is taken in the matter. Janney's complaint will not be considered or investigated by the magistrate while he is still on strike, and along with the Government's promise to make a full and searching inquiry there goes the stipulation that the prisoner must break his forty-day fast and start taking nourishment again.

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WILL OPERATE PLANT  
TO GIVE EMPLOYMENT

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The great smelting works and blast furnaces of the Dowlais Iron Company, which have been shut down for some months, will shortly resume partial operations. This is the announcement of Guest, Keene & Nettleford, Limited, who are owners of the plant. The management states that resumption of work will mean great financial loss to the company, because of the present stagnation in construction work requiring the products of the plant. In view, however, of the great distress throughout the southern part of Wales through unemployment and the responsibilities which the firm declares rest on large employers of labor under such circumstances, the works will be partly reopened for an indefinite period.

The business of Guest, Keene & Nettleford and the Dowlais Iron Works were the concerns in which the late Joseph Chamberlain is reputed to have made the greater part of his fortune.

INDIA AGITATORS  
ARE ARRESTED

Prominent Workers for Sedition Reported Taken at Simla—Proceedings Against Ali Brothers

SIMLA, British India, Sept. 16.—It is reported that a number of prominent agitators were arrested yesterday.

BOMBAY, Sept. 16.—The British Indian government has instituted proceedings against the brothers Mohammed Ali and Kehaukat Ali on charges of attempting to cause disaffection among the troops and sedition. The Ali brothers have been carrying on an agitation in India for several years. The brothers were interviewed by Lord Harding, the Viceroy, soon after his arrival, and it was declared they had promised to cease their activities.

Recently, however, it is charged, the brothers took part in demonstrations in the Malabar area and were arrested.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—It was stated in official circles here today that the new arrests of agitators and proceedings against the Ali brothers in India in no way indicated serious new developments in the situation there. About a half dozen agitators were involved, it was proceeded in several ways in connection with political speeches delivered several weeks ago, to the effect that it is sinful for Muslims to serve in or recruit for the Indian army.

The delay in taking action, it was explained, was due to the time necessary for obtaining detailed reports of the speeches and their actual legal effect.

MR. HENDERSON TALKS  
ABOUT LABOR'S NEEDS

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Arthur Henderson, Labor member of the British House of Commons, in a discussion of the human needs in modern industry before the world's Methodist Conference, this morning, declared that the problem of trust distribution of wealth remained unchanged. If this were to be accomplished, he said, the churches must see that Christian principles were applied in industry.

"The time has gone when men and women can be treated as cogs in the machinery of wealth production," Mr. Henderson asserted.

"The church must assert the fact that the worker is a man, with a human claim to a full life. This is the path to industrial peace."

Mr. Henderson's speech was greeted with cheers, and other speakers reiterated advice advocating the eight-hour day and profit sharing.

The conference adopted a resolution urging Methodist churches everywhere to wage relentless warfare on liquor, working first for a law affording local option, so that the power of control could be placed directly in the hands of the people.

CLINTON, Iowa, Sept. 16.—Fireman John Johnson, of Clinton, and an unidentified tramp were killed when the engine of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway's fast west-bound passenger train No. 7, known as the Los Angeles Limited, was derailed in a washout near Helleplaine, today. No passengers were reported injured.

C.P.R. OFFICIALS  
VIEW IRRIGATION

Inspect Provincial Government's Work in Southern Okanagan—Railway Extension Contract to Be Let

PENTICTON, Sept. 16.—Pursuing his policy of making a general inspection of the newest developments in British Columbia, President Beatty and his party of directors and financiers made an inspection of the Provincial Government's Southern Okanagan reclamation area before embarking for Vancouver this evening on the last lap of his transcontinental tour.

Tenders were closed during the past week for the work of grading the proposed Kettle Valley Railroad extension from the south side of Bug Lake, below Penticton, to about three miles below the new townsite of Oliver. This will carry the steel past the present limit of the reclamation. Ultimately it is expected to continue the railroad through to the international boundary, thus linking the whole of the valley trade to the city of Vancouver.

It is understood that a Kelowna delegation is putting up a strong case for the extension of the C.P.R. branch from Okanagan Landing south to Kelowna, thus giving direct rail connection between Kelowna and the C.P.R. main line.

The motor trip from Penticton to Oliver is to follow the proposed route of the Kettle Valley extension. Mr. C. C. Coleman, president of the Kettle Valley Railway, is in the C.P.R. party, and the awarding of contracts for the immediate commencement of construction is expected to follow the inspection tour of the party.

President Beatty spoke very optimistically regarding conditions in Canada, in an interview. He remarked that while it was quiet in the East, business was rapidly picking up in the West, due to the impetus of a good crop.

Dealing with the unemployment question, President Beatty said men were still wanted on the prairies, both to handle the crop and to assist in railway construction. The C.P.R. wanted a number of men, and all other railways were needing workers. In spite of this fact, the president thought, however, that there would be a great deal of unemployment during the coming winter.

The president spoke enthusiastically of the large grain crop on the prairie, and remarked that he believed prices would be very satisfactory all round. Asked if he expected that any of the grain would be moved West in order to be shipped to Europe via the Panama Canal, he replied in the negative.

With regard to Lord Shaughnessy's suggestion that the C.P.R. operate all Canadian lines as a representative of the Government, President Beatty said the suggestion was made to the Prime Minister, but not acted upon. Whether any would develop on conditions after the election and formation of a new Government.

Coming to things more local, the president stated that construction work here would be commenced shortly on the extension south of the K.V.R. to the soldier lands. His company had no intention, he said, of linking the K.V.R. with the East by a line around Kootenay Lake, nor was there any truth in the statement that the C.P.R. would take over the Great Northern system between Marcus and Princeton.

With regard to the trip through the Southern Okanagan soldiers' land, the president said he had enjoyed it immensely. The fruit crop in British Columbia, he remarked, was excellent, and everywhere he found the people in a very cheerful spirit.

ANTI-WASTE PRESS  
FINDS NEW GRIEVANCE

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The anti-waste press is now tackling the alleged frivolous prosecutions by Government departments, and makes the allegation that such prosecutions merely provide superfluous employment for unnecessary officials. A well-known firm of London was prosecuted because it merely carried "Winefield & Son" on a letter head, whereas full business names should be registered.

The Registration Act is intended to prevent aliens from conducting business under fictitious names and requires that the full names of the partners be given. This firm was actually confined to father and son, and the prosecution was dismissed.

The Ministry of Labor prosecuted the Portsmouth Drapers for paying less wages than that stipulated in the Trade Board Act. The workers, nevertheless, affirmed their entire contentment, and had even signed a petition to the Ministry begging no interference. The prosecutions were dismissed, the magistrate expressing his regret that they should have been instituted.

VERNON AND FERNIE  
GROWING VIGOROUSLY

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—Census returns for the following western cities were announced this afternoon: Vernon, B.C., population 1921, 2,643; 1911, 2,671. Increase 36.61 per cent.

Fernie, B.C., population 1921, 4,343; 1911, 3,146. Increase 38.64 per cent.

Yorkeston, Sask., population 1921, 5,153; 1911, 2,369. Increase 123.7 per cent.

Brandon, Man., population 1921, 15,339; 1911, 13,439. Increase 10.98 per cent.

The population of Port Arthur, Ont., is given as 14,124 in 1921, as compared with 11,220 in 1911, an increase of 43.79 per cent.

A Glance Across the Footlights  
HEATLE, Sept. 16.—Charles F. Hackett, an operatic tenor, glanced from the stage of a theatre here last night into the face of a man in the audience said to be Bernard Seville, wanted in Chicago on a charge of passing worthless cheques. Between acts, at the star's request, the police arrested Seville. Hackett said he paid \$700 for endorsing one of Seville's cheques. Seville is held for the Chicago authorities.

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STOPS MOROCCO NEWS

MADRID, Sept. 16.—Artillery fire on Spanish positions near Melilla was continued intermittently yesterday by rebellious Moorish tribesmen, said an official statement issued here early this morning. The rest of the Spanish zone was declared to have been quiet.

The order of the Government stopping newspapers from giving news regarding the Moroccan campaign except that contained in the official communiques, under threat of suspension and other penalties for violation, has deprived the Spanish public of any information regarding the operations in Morocco. Not only are descriptions of battles prohibited, but reference to military responsibility for the former reverses suffered by the Spaniards may not be made. Foreign correspondents are similarly restricted.

GREECE PROTESTS  
RAID ON STEAMSHIP

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The steamship King Alexander, which figured in a spectacular drug and liquor raid last week after a race to port with immigrants, sailed for Greece today and was obliged to carry back seventeen of her would-be immigrants because the September quota for Greek immigrants had been reached.

The steamship's agents have lodged a protest with the British Embassy at Washington against methods used by federal agents in conducting the raid.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The British Embassy, it was said today, has received a protest in connection with the drug and liquor raid on the steamer King Alexander at New York, and it is expected, will ask the State Department for an official report.



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lb. ....12 1/2c Mutton Chop, lb. ....25c

Mutton Stew, lb. ....15c Choice Sausage, lb. ....20c

Dripping (something good), lb. ....15c

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 White Swan Soap, 5-bar cartons..... 25c  
 Fine Alexander Apples, 6 lbs. for..... 25c  
 Ripe Tomatoes, 5-lb. baskets..... 25c  
 Hard Dry Onions, 8 lbs. for..... 25c  
 Thick Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, sliced, per lb., 35c; by piece..... 32c  
 Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb..... 25c  
 Smoked Small Cottage Rolls, per lb..... 30c  
 Pure Leaf Lard, per lb., 20c; 3 lbs. for..... 55c

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Prime Ribs Beef, per lb..... 22c

Rump Roasts of Beef, lb., 22c and..... 20c

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Sir Ross Smith Contemplates  
 Aerial Voyage That Will  
 Take Him Across Canada—  
 Has Special Machine

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—The first round-the-world trip by aeroplane is contemplated by Sir Ross Smith, the British aviator who last summer successfully negotiated the flight from England to Australia. The starting date is not yet announced, but it is understood that the trip will be made before Winter sets in. He will use a special type of machine, allowing for alighting with equal facility on land or water. The route he is to take in Canada is from British Columbia to Cape Breton.

Starting from England, the line of flight probably will be Middle Europe, Mesopotamia, India, China and Japan, then northward across the Bering Sea to Alaska.

Sir Ross will come into Canada from Wrangel, Alaska, on the northern boundary of British Columbia.

In this connection, the Canadian Air Board has mapped out, at the request of Sir Ross Smith, a combined seaplane and aeroplane route across the Dominion.

The first Canadian stopping place will be Prince George, then Edmonton, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Fort William, Sault Ste. Marie, Montreal, Fredericton and Sydney, a total distance of 3,755 miles over Canadian territory. The stages will average 400 miles each. The Air Board has given Sir Ross particulars as to landing fields available at each point, with notes as to repairing, refueling and housing facilities at each place.

The Air Board has also supplied an alternative route to the south after arrival at Winnipeg, taking in Chicago, St. Paul, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Petersburg and New York, thence north again to Sydney.

The project is one in which it is felt that Canadians will naturally take a keen interest. In view of the fact that its success would do more to pave the way for the establishment of greatly accelerated transoceanic service by air between Canada and other parts of the British Empire.

Sir Ross Smith's triumph, if he succeeds in circling the world this Fall, will not be merely in covering the long flights between landing points, but in meeting the many difficulties inseparable from lack of ground organization such as he must obtain in a pioneer effort of this kind. He will also have an opportunity of proving the powers of endurance of both crew and machine, exposed daily for a considerable period to all kinds of weather.

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**GERMANS STRIVING**  
**TO MEET OBLIGATIONS**

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—A semi-official statement regarding the conference Wednesday of Chancellor Wirth with representatives of the banking and industrial organizations to find means of furnishing the Government with gold and foreign currency for future reparations payments, says goodwill is being displayed on all sides to assist the Government in a practical manner to discharge its obligations. The discussions, which, the statement says, are the most important since the Government ever had to conduct, will be continued with representatives of the agricultural interests.

The newspapers concur with the manufacturers that now the Allied ultimatum has been accepted, every effort must be made to fulfill it. The industrial interests reckon on their ability to produce from one billion to one and a half billion marks, and thus mitigate the position of German exchange, caused by the Government's continued purchase of foreign currency. The industrial world expects the basis of the Government to be widened so as to permit adequate representation of the economic interests.

**ASSEMBLY ENDS**  
**GENERAL DEBATE**

Work on League Business Comes to Temporary Halt With Completion of International Court

GENEVA, Sept. 16.—General debate on the work of the League was completed by the Assembly of the League of Nations today. The delegates applauded vigorously the announcement that discussions which had filled two weeks were ended. The Assembly will take a recess until it is called together to hear the report of the various committees, some of which will be ready early next week. Organization of the International Court of Justice is now the centre of interest in League circles.

Confirmation of Judge Hechmann, of Norway, as the fourth deputy judge of the court, and receipt of acceptances from six of the eleven judges selected Wednesday, were the order of the day in the day in this connection. The selection of Judge Hechmann by a conference committee after the Assembly and Council of the League had failed to agree, was announced yesterday and approved today by the Assembly.

The Council voted unanimously in favor of his selection. The six judges who have notified the League of their acceptance of the office they will serve are: Viscount Robert Finlay, of Great Britain; J. B. Moore, of the United States; Dr. Antonio S. de Bustamante, of Cuba; Dr. P. F. Loder, of Holland; Dr. Andrew Weiss, of France, and Dr. Max Huber, of Switzerland.

President Van Karnebeek, of the Assembly, congratulated the delegates on the final accomplishment of organization of the court.

The Assembly decided to send telegrams to the heads of all the states announcing the achievement of such moral importance.

The resolution proposed by Lord Cecil, asking the Council of the League to give greater publicity to its proceedings, was then adopted by the Assembly.

First Meeting of Court

The permanent International Court of Justice will probably hold its first meeting at The Hague during the last week of October.

Two cases have been filed with the League for transmission to the court when it opens. They both are from the International Labor Bureau, created by the League. One calls for an interpretation of the clause of the International Labor Bureau giving the eight principal industrial nations the right to sit permanently on the board of the bureau. The other grows out of the refusal of the employers' group in the bureau to nominate representatives for the mixed commission on disarmament.

The League last night sent cable messages to all the elected members of the court, asking them to send their formal acceptance no later than Sunday next. It is expected that all will accept. When the acceptances are received, the secretariat will call a meeting of the judges at Geneva for some time in October.

The judges will adopt their rules and make all other arrangements for the inauguration of the court. The secretariat is already busy assembling the material which the judges will want at their preliminary session.

League officials say that while there are only two cases actually on the docket, a number of nations have indicated that they will submit cases, so the court will open with considerable business before it.



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## SAANICH WATER BYLAW

Saanich Municipal Council, it is pleasing to observe, has decided to give the people of the district another opportunity to consider the question of water supply. The people of Victoria have an interest only secondary to that of the residents of Saanich in the matter. It is not a financial interest, because there is no great reward to be gained by the amount of water we shall sell to the municipality. There are aspects of the matter far more important than the financial one. The district is destined to be one of comparatively small holdings. The population will, in course of time, be much denser than that of the ordinary rural municipality. Hence it is necessary for sanitary reasons that the district should take precautions against the day when it will be known as Greater Victoria and undoubtedly will contain and sustain a much larger population than there is at present within our municipal boundaries.

There are also the present convenience and requirements of the people of the municipality to be considered. No organized community that is up-to-date in its ideas and its methods would think today of being without water for ordinary domestic purposes if the water can be procured at a cost not absolutely beyond the means of the ratepayers. We understand that the obstacle at which the voters balked in former by-laws has been overcome, owing to lower cost of materials and for other reasons. We have no desire to press our views insistently upon the Saanich electors. The question is purely a domestic one. The decision lies with those directly concerned, and they must be left to reach their own conclusions, but to those who have been accustomed to an unlimited supply of water for both domestic and irrigation purposes the course of the people of Saanich seems obvious.

## MEN AND MEASURES

The hurly-burly of the pending political campaign in Canada has not yet begun; the leaders and organizers of the various forces are active, of course, but their deeds are being done in secret, not that they necessarily are evil; any discussion that is taking place is for the most part academic, such, for instance, as the relative importance of men and measures in a political contest. Any question of this kind depends for a correct answer upon the conditions prevailing in the country when an election is being held.

If Premier Lloyd George were to decide upon a dissolution and an election in Great Britain in the immediate future, his personality would be an important factor in the campaign, but the dominating factor would be his attitude on the Irish question. The Premier has been assailed from many quarters, including some domestic quarters, for his policy in Ireland, but events have proved that he was right in that policy from the very beginning, knowing either by intuition or by possession of exact information that the aim of the Sinn Féin organization was to sever connection between Ireland and the Empire and to set up a hostile republic in menacing proximity to Great Britain. Hence, however powerful the personality of Lloyd George—and he is generally admitted to be the one influence that holds the Unionist Party together—the position he has taken and maintained on the Irish question would become more prominent and influential in an election campaign than even his dominating personality—assuming that the two could be separated under such circumstances.

Sir John Macdonald's personality as a public man was impressive. His figure for some subtle reason appealed strongly to the people and enabled him to weather more than one political storm that would have brought about the downfall of more commonplace leaders. But there was one instance in his career in which a measure proposed by the man exercised a greater influence than the man himself. It was the National Policy that carried him into power in 1878 following his defeat on an issue known as the Pacific Scandal.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's career as a political leader following his advent to power in 1896 was an uninterrupted success until the measure known as the Redoubt treaty with the United States aroused a great storm throughout Canada and accomplished his downfall. Premier Meighen has yet to win his spurs in a political campaign, and he has the advantage over the various leaders in opposition to him that he is endowed with a distinct personality and will submit a definite policy to the electors. He has taken his ground for the fight and will maintain it to the best of his acknowledged ability.

Mr. Mackenzie King has lost strength in the country because he is

vague in his utterances on almost every public question he rises to discuss.

Mr. Crear is known in a small section of Canada. He is the nominal leader of the agrarians, but Dr. Clark has thrown a bright light on the situation in the Farmers' Party by publishing correspondence proving that the real leader is a gentleman named Wood, who in the old political days would have been designated as simply a wire puller.

On the whole it may be assumed that both measures and men will prove potent factors in the coming election, and the voters will have ample opportunity to form judgment on the calibre of the men and measures before them.

## CANADIAN CATTLE MARKET

A jury of British experts has concluded an investigation into the state of health of Canadian cattle and has pronounced them absolutely free from disease. Consequently, if livestock from the Dominion are still to be excluded from the remunerative markets of the United Kingdom, the embargo must be maintained upon another ground than that of ill-health. Hon. Dr. Tolmie, as the representative of the cattle industry in Canada, made a special trip to the Old Country as an advocate of the cause of our cattle raisers, and the decision of the British Commission will add to the many laurels the Doctor has won as an extremely competent and industrious Minister of Agriculture.

The decision comes at an opportune time, as the cattle raising industry has lately been in a far from prosperous state, a condition which was aggravated by the decision of the United States Government practically to exclude our beef from the markets of the republic. But the battle has not been completely won. The Imperial Parliament must deal with the question of the admission of Canadian cattle to the United Kingdom notwithstanding the conclusions of the British Commission of experts. Should the embargo be lifted, the business of cattle raisers in Britain, particularly the business of farmers in Scotland and Ireland, would be affected to some extent. Those are the interests which have fought for the maintenance of the fiction that Canadian livestock are generally affected with foot and mouth disease. They favor the maintenance of the principle of protection for their home industry, and will fight hard, with the assistance of the landlords, for continued exclusion. There is another element, however, that is probably more powerful politically than the farmers and the landlords. The consumers want beef of the best possible quality at the lowest possible price, and now that the presence of disease in Canadian cattle has been proved to be but an artifice, the will of the majority surely must prevail in the end. The consequence will be a profitable market for Canadian livestock.

The situation of the railways of Canada, always excepting the C.P.R., of course, which is in a class by itself, is being discussed in the newspapers from one end of the country to the other. All sorts of panaceas are being suggested for their financial salvation. It is claimed that the rail mileage is too great for the existing requirements of the population. That seems to be true. There is not sufficient business to fully employ the roads. If the existing population cannot produce the business we must increase the population. The cities are big enough, but the country is sparsely settled. People must be placed upon the land. If our own people will not go upon the land, settlers must be found elsewhere who are not averse to agricultural pursuits. There should be no objection to the adoption of measures that would produce the desired result, because an increased agricultural population and augmented agricultural production would enlarge the opportunities for employment in the cities.

A Chicago newspaper is being sued for ten million dollars. Such a sum is a mere trifle to a newspaper, and doubtless the heart of the editor is not the least disquieted. The peculiar point of the action is that the municipality of Chicago is the plaintiff, and a question is said to have been raised as to the possibility of plastering a libel upon such a municipality.

Electrical developments are proceeding. It has been found quite practical and feasible to transmit one million volts over a wire. The achievement is said to portend increased opportunities for the application of power in manufacturing and other purposes.

The German navy is living up to the disrepute it gained during the war. Six naval officers have been arrested charged with conspiring in or being parties to the murder of Matthias Erzberger. Apparently "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do."

## CALGARY SOAP WORKS PARTLY DESTROYED

CALGARY, Alta., Sept. 16.—Fire from an undetermined cause gutted the entire eastern section of the building and plant of the Royal Crown Soap Works in East Calgary early this morning.

The greater part of the three floors in the eastern section of the building was destroyed. The building was insured. An investigation is being made in an attempt to ascertain the cause of the fire.

## MODERN FINANCING HELPS THE FARMERS

By Means of Co-operative Organizations in United States Producers Obtain Loans Aggregating \$32,250,000

An indication of the new spirit of commercial efficiency now beginning to permeate the fabric of agricultural industry of the United States was the action last week of the War Finance Corporation in completing arrangements for a \$32,250,000 loan to the principal farming interests of the nation for export products, according to Aaron Sapiro, legal counsel for more than fifty co-operative marketing associations in the United States. This action would never have been possible, he said, had it not been for the proper organization of the various growers who are to benefit by the loan.

As soon as the plans for the loan were completed there was a conference on its application in the Bush Building, 142 West 42nd Street, which is Eastern headquarters for most of the farmers' co-operative associations. Mr. Sapiro, Carl Williams, president of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange, Julian P. Langner, who is co-operating with Mr. Sapiro in introducing the "Sapiro Plan" among the producers of the East, and a number of European importers were present.

"By forming these co-operative organizations so that they are economically, financially and legally sound," Mr. Sapiro said yesterday, "we get for them the same kind of credit facilities as are available to the large industrial and manufacturing corporations of the country. In a nutshell, proper merchandising methods bring with them proper credit facilities. The collective credit of the associations is the basis of negotiation with the banks and other financial institutions who are ready to raise money to market his crop by mortgaging his property is past. The day of intelligent financing of the farmers' crops has come."

In California, where co-operative marketing has been most successful, financing of farmers and growers is done almost entirely through local banks or correspondents. The crop mortgage is rapidly disappearing and funds are provided through promissory notes, bankers' acceptances or drafts drawn by growers and accepted by the co-operative organizations against non-perishable products stored in public warehouses. The California plan as it now functions shows that it is unnecessary for the farmers to establish their own financial machinery, when through proper organization it has been proved that banking methods need not be upset or a new financing medium found. Successful co-operative marketing is the result of co-operation between growers, bankers, editors, educators and other leaders."

Another reason for the new era in financing the farmer, according to Mr. Sapiro, is the elimination of the speculator's methods through co-operation. Holding of crops, manipulation, dumping all at once, is replaced by an intelligent year-round marketing process and a proper, even distribution through sales experts not principally interested in margin of profit for themselves, but working on a salary basis for the associations.

The financial facilities made available to the co-operatives will be mainly in the form of advances to finance agricultural products for export. A list of the organizations included in the negotiations, with the amounts apportioned to each, as announced by Mr. Sapiro, follows:

Texas Cotton Association, 300,000 bales of cotton, \$6,000,000.  
California Prune and Apricot Growers, Inc., 25,000,000 pounds of prunes, \$1,250,000.  
Washington Wheat Growers' Association, 8,000,000 bushels of wheat, \$4,000,000.  
Idaho Wheat Growers' Association, 2,000,000 bushels of wheat, \$1,000,000.  
Oregon Co-operative Grain Growers, 2,000,000 bushels of wheat, \$1,000,000.  
Montana Wheat Growers' Association, 1,500,000 bushels of wheat, \$1,000,000.

"It is a most significant fact," Mr. Sapiro said, "that the plans include \$1,250,000 to finance the export of prunes from California. The evidence of business acumen, commercial stability, and all-round efficiency by the co-operative associations has brought with it the confidence of men and governments, and has made possible these huge financial transactions."

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted unless the proper name, title, and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

## Coming Election

Sir.—Now that the sound of a Dominion election is heard in the land, I should like to give a note of warning to the service men who were overseas when the last election took place.

My warning to them is to be careful and not to be in a hurry to align themselves with any party, but to read and study the records of those who are the political leaders, and not to throw in their lot with men who, when the war was on, and our sons and brothers were holding the trenches against our foes, took the stand that "it was not Canada's war," "that conscription should be opposed," in plain language, would not have sent help to our men unless compelled to do so.

I ask service men to carefully weigh the issue: Is any grievance they may now have individually or collectively to be compared with the position they and their country stood in at the time of the last election? Is any vote cry of "Free Trade Within the Empire" to change their support of men who were loyal to the Empire and to its fighting forces when danger was near?

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A Well Selected Stock of Practical Fall Hats and Tans for girls 2 to 16 years; made from plush, beaver and felt in a variety of styles and colors. Prices range from \$2.75 to \$8.75.

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Lingerie Ribbons in many dainty colors. Prices range from 3 yards for 10c up to, yard, 10c. Silk Taffeta Ribbons in best grades; widths one-half to two inches. Prices, yard, 5c up to 25c.

Wider widths in all wanted colors. Prices, yard, 30c up to 60c. Rich Satin Ribbons, widths, one-half to two inches. Prices, a yard, 10c to 35c. Wider widths in white and colors; widths 3 to 5 inches. Prices, yard, 40c to 65c.

## Interesting Items From the Children's Section



Gymnasium Bloomers of heavy navy cotton serge, full pleated skirt, finished with band at waist and elastic knees. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Price, \$2.75.

Gymnasium Bloomers, made of fine navy serge, full pleated skirt, finished with elastic knees and band at waist. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Price, \$4.00.

Girls' Serge Kilts, of excellent quality navy serge, with bodice attached. Sizes 7 to 10. Price \$3.35. Sizes 12 to 16, price \$3.65.

Girls' Kilts of good wearing cotton serge, with bodice attached. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Price, \$1.75.

Children's Wool Sweaters, in coat, tuxedo and pull-over styles, with roll, high or sailor collar and belt; all popular colors. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Prices \$3.95 to \$8.75.

Children's Sweaters, in brushed wool and plain and fancy knit weaves; coat styles with roll or sailor collars; sash and patch pockets; a variety of colors. Extra special values, \$2.69.

## Worthy Values in Women's and Children's Hosiery

Women's Pure Thread Hose with high apical heels and double soles; colors: cordovan, navy, pearl, medium and dark grey, Morocco, black and white; all sizes. Pair, \$1.25.

Women's 4-1 Rib Wool Golf Hose in brown and blue heather mixtures; full fashioned and seamless; all sizes. Per pair, 98c.

Women's Wool Cashmere Hose in black and brown; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Per pair, \$1.25.

Out-size All-Wool Cashmere Hose in black only; sizes 9 1/2 to 10. Per pair, \$1.25.

Women's Fine Quality All-Wool Golf Hose in green, brown and mauve mixtures; sizes 8 1/2 to 10; \$3.25 value. Per pair, \$1.98.

Boys' and Girls' 4-1 Rib Golf Hose in heather mixtures, with fancy turn-over tops; sizes 6 to 8 1/2. Per pair, \$1.25.

Children's Golf Hose in navy and white, with fancy turn-over tops. Per pair, \$1.50.

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## Snaps in Staple Goods

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36-Inch Madras, fine quality for ladies' and children's wear; originally 40c. Special, yard, 19c.

English Oxford Shirting, a hard wearing fabric for men's and boys' shirts; originally 65c. Special, yard, 29c.

Hemstitched Huckaback Towels, union linen and cotton; size 15 x 22; excellent value; originally 59c. Special, 3 for \$1.00.

## A MILLION AT SUNDAY SCHOOL ON RALLY DAY

In all probability Sunday, September 25, will see the largest Sunday school attendance there has ever been in Canada. Plans and propaganda have been under way for some months with a view to making Rally Day, which falls on this date, not only an inaugural day for the beginning of the season's work, but also a real, big day in all Canadian Sunday schools. A programme including a special service for the day has been prepared by a joint committee of the Sunday school boards of the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches, and one million copies of this have been distributed to Canadian Sunday schools of these denominations. If present prospects are in any way realized there should be well over a million babies, boys and girls and grownups in the various Canadian Sunday schools on Rally Day.

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A Stylish Coat, developed from all-wool coating, and trimmed with cable stitching and buttons; semi-belted style, with flare back, large convertible fur collar and cuffs; lined to waist. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, \$37.50.

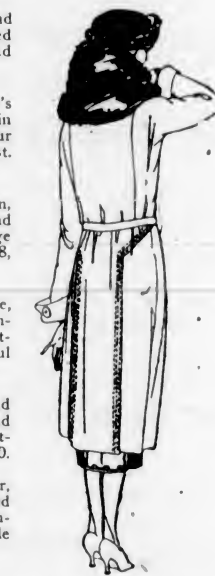
Attractive Coats made from wool coating in this season's popular colors; belted style, with double box pleats in centre of back, novelty pockets, large convertible fur collar, finished with cable stitching and lined to waist. Sizes 16, 18, 36 and 38. Price, \$35.00.

Smart Coats designed from all-wool materials in green, taupe, Burgundy, African brown, Copenhagen and navy. Made with flare back, novelty pockets and large convertible collar and cuffs of coney fur. Sizes 16, 18, 36 to 42. Excellent values at \$32.50.

Another Attractive Coat of wool velour in novelty style, with Raglan or set-in sleeves, belted and large convertible collar, trimmed with cable stitching and buttons; half lined. Sizes 16, 18, 36 to 42. Wonderful value at, each, \$32.50.

Practical Coats of all-wool velour, in flare back or belted styles, with large convertible collars and novelty and slash pockets, trimmed with cable stitching and buttons. Sizes 16, 18, 36 to 44. Prices \$27.50 and \$29.50.

Warm Velour Coats, in shades of taupe, green, reindeer, Burgundy and African brown; designed in semi-belted and flare back styles, with novelty pockets and convertible collar. Sizes 16, 18, 36 to 40. Remarkable value at \$25.00.



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Smart Wool Shawlettes in large sizes, with collar and belt in contrasting shade; popular colors. Price, \$7.50.

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Fleecy Wool Scarves in self colors with contrasting ends; all new colors. Prices, \$1.75, \$1.98 and \$3.50.

## Gauntlet Gloves at Popular Prices

Popular Suede Fabric Gloves with sacque wrist and neat dome strap; new Fall colors. Price, pair, \$1.75.

English Gauntlet Gloves of heavy suede fabric, with full flare cuffs and neat strap; half pique sewn, white, chamamois and new colors. Priced at, a pair, \$2.50.

A Full Range of Silk and Chamamoisette Gloves in black, white and new colors. Priced at, a pair, \$1.00.



## Dainty New Neckwear

A Large Assortment of Dainty Neckwear, made of organdie and embroidered net, in Broderie Anglaise effects. Priced at 85c.

New Venice and Guipure Lace Bandings for neckwear sets. Prices, 95c to \$2.25.

Windsor Ties in grey and white, rose and white and black and white stripes. Special, 39c.

New Designs in Veilings in black and colors. Price, yard, 35c to \$1.50.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist of September 17, 1871.)

First Provincial Elections.—A proclamation published in another column it will be observed that the writs are to bear date of October 3 and are made returnable on or before November 1 next, except, however, the writs for Ceylon and Kootenay, which will be returnable on or before December 14 next. Elections in this country should always be held in the summer season.

Withdraws From Contest.—By a card published in our advertising columns today it will be seen that Mr. Pemberton, withdrew—as (1888) withdrew—from the contest in Victoria district. This leaves the contest open to Messrs. Daily, Bonner and DeCombes. The two first will be elected.





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## FORESTRY TOPICS OF INTEREST TO PUBLIC

Forthcoming Convention Proceedings Here Tuesday Next Will Afford Interesting Information to Business Men

Several of the most picturesque and popular agencies of forestry certain to interest business and professional men of Victoria, will be featured at the British Columbia Forestry convention at the Empress Hotel Tuesday morning and afternoon next.

The Canadian Forestry Association's general secretary, Mr. Robson Black, of Ottawa, who has organized the Victoria convention, stated to The Colonist last night that the programme of popular subjects was designed expressly to interest and attract all citizens of Victoria concerned in forest conservation from any standpoint. Special motion pictures have been arranged for and several of the addresses will be illustrated.

To the general public the forestry convention will offer a special welcome. The programme is as follows: Morning, 9:45 o'clock.

Address of welcome by G. R. Naden, Deputy Minister of Lands.

Manufacturing for Export—Mr. J. O. Cameron, Cameron Lumber Co., Victoria.

Forest Research in the West—Mr. P. Z. Caverhill, Provincial Forester of British Columbia.

Forest Research in the East—Mr. T. W. Dwight, Assistant Dominion Director of Forestry.

Keeping British Columbia Free From Pests—Mr. C. S. Cowan, Assistant Provincial Forester.

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Afternoon, 2 o'clock.

Forest Work by Aeroplane—Major L. A. Andrews, Regional Forester, Vancouver.

Mechanical Improvements in Fire Fighting—Mr. R. V. Stuart, B. C. Forest Service.

Depreciation by Forest Insects—Mr. Ralph Hopping, Provincial Entomologist, Vernon, B.C.

Grazing on Forest Land—Mr. T. P. McKenzie, Grazing Commissioner, Victoria.

## SPENCER'S TEA ROOMS

WILL OPEN TODAY

Light Lunches and Tea Will Be Served in New Department—Mrs. J. Harvey Is Manager

Today will witness the formal opening of the tea rooms of David Spencer's, Ltd., Mr. A. Herdman, superintendent of the Vancouver branch, has arrived in town, and will personally supervise the restaurant when it is thrown open to the public at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. J. Harvey, of Victoria, is manager of the tea rooms, and will be assisted by Mrs. Josephs, Mrs. Tennant, Miss Munro, and Miss Flegg. During the afternoon, and for every afternoon the coming week, a musical programme will be given, the artists being Mrs. Gibson and Miss Mary Board, who will render selections between the hours of 3:30 and 5 o'clock.

Mr. A. Belyea, of the Vancouver branch, has been transferred to the Capital, and will take charge of the restaurant, while Mr. Keith Symes, who for the past four and a half years has been engaged at different points on island resorts, also in Chicago and Tacoma and Spokane, will hold the position of chef.

Nothing has been overlooked by the firm to make the tea rooms the most modern and up to date in every respect possible. Huge electric installation is also used in the kitchen. An electric range of the MacNab & Roberts firm of Winnipeg, has been selected, with three ovens, having a large capacity; an electric steam table is also used; electric hot plate, electric stock pots for soup; electric toasters and an electric auxiliary range are all installed and ready for the opening today.

Light lunches and tea will be on the menu today, and will be succeeded by a merchants' lunch and tea next week.

The tea rooms have been planned and decorated entirely by Mr. Edwin Ruddlesden, of Spencer's Art Studio, and are in themselves well worth a visit of inspection, for the very latest designs and color effects have been used with excellent success. The assistants wear dressed of mauve, blue, gold and green with dainty aprons, collars and cuffs. The decorations which will adorn the rooms today are masses of mauve and white asters.

In connection with the kitchen arrangements a large cold storage has been opened.

An Eastern university has been making moving pictures of jyllyth to show the muscular reaction to acids and electrical stimuli.

## ROUTE AVAILABLE FOR PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY

Hon. J. H. King Inspects Possible Location for Much Delayed Connection Between Coast and Interior Systems

Following a trip to interior points during the course of which he investigated a number of road projects, Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, returned to the city yesterday. As a consequence of his trip it is probable that when the next session is held legislation will be brought down by which the much-discussed and long-delayed connection between the coast and interior systems will be provided for.

While Dr. King is as yet making no announcement upon the question, the agitation which has been kept up for the past few years between rival claimants to have the connecting Provincial Highway link located upon the route to the head of the Strait of Georgia has assumed proportions which call for an early decision by the government.

The latest route which has been examined by the Minister and which may prove to be the one finally adopted, has just been given by Hon. Dr. King. What is known as the Cleveland survey of a roadway connecting Hope with Princeton, a distance of ninety miles, has been urged as the route to be adopted, but a shorter route was located last fall by Provincial Engineer Gwyer, and it was this latter which the Minister inspected on his trip just concluded.

This new route, covering a distance of sixty-five miles, leaves Hope and follows the Coquihalla River for a few miles and then turns up the Sunahow River, a tributary of the former, striking the head of the Skagit River and thence on to Allison Pass, at an elevation of 5,800 feet, to Whipsaw Creek, and then follows down, striking the Cleveland survey at a point eight and one-half miles south of Princeton. In that route of sixty-five miles it is possible to utilize twenty-five miles of the old Kupper Road and eight and one-half miles of the Cleveland survey. There would be but about fifteen to sixteen miles of heavy construction.

Provincial Engineer Gwyer will immediately leave to make a further investigation of this route.

## SCOUTS FIELD DAY BEING HELD TODAY

Programme of Interesting Events Will Take Place at Oak Bay Athletic Grounds, Commencing at 2:30

About thirty boys from outside points are to be in the city today to participate in the Scouts Field Day, which is being held at the Oak Bay Athletic Grounds, commencing at 2:30. The programme includes thirty-three events for Scouts or Wolf Cubs ranging from eight to eighteen, and very diverse interest is assured to the spectators. Although good prizes are offered for all the events, and every feature of the afternoon will call forth some special ability on the part of the contestants, the most commendable will undoubtedly be those between the teams of different troops, for instance, the trek cart race, the relay race, and the tug-of-war. These will be the chief team events, and will provide the principal spectacular element of the afternoon also.

The Field Day will be followed in a week's time with a Water Gala, which will be held either at the Gorge or the Y.M.C.A. (according to the weather) on Saturday, September 24. This will give the water experts an opportunity to display their prowess.

Tomorrow there will be Church Parade, Scouts meeting at the corner of Pandora Avenue and Cook Street

and arranging in groups to go to their various churches. There is to be an officers' dinner tonight at the Fall Mall Tearooms at 7:30. It is hoped by these various Scout gatherings to cement the feeling of friendship of all the Scout communities, particularly on the island.

## STREETS COMMITTEE

At the meeting of the Streets Committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon, the following matters were among those considered:

Work on Mary Street was authorized. The engineer reported that repairs were being made to the sidewalks of which the Victoria West Brotherhood recently complained.

The widening of 1,365 feet of wooden sidewalk on Oakland Avenue was authorized.

The construction of a two-plank crossing on Westall Street, in answer to a request from Mrs. Henry Jarvis, was authorized.

The offer of Messrs. Marchant & Christie, owners of land adjoining, to provide the labor for the construction of a concrete sidewalk on Fort Street, between Leighton and Richmond Roads, provided that the city will give the material, was accepted. The setting out of the portions for the construction of a concrete sidewalk on Johnson Street, between Cook and Camosun Streets, as a local improvement scheme, was authorized.

## FAREWELL GIVEN TO MR. EDEN QUAINTON

Members of Cathedral Congregation and A.Y.P.A. Made Presentations and Delivered Good Wishes

Members of the congregation of Christ Church Cathedral and of the Anglican Young People's Association on Thursday evening bade farewell to Mr. Eden Quainton, who is leaving tomorrow for England to enter Cambridge University. The gathering took the form of a social, with Dean Quainton in the chair during the more formal part of the proceedings, when the warden of the church and A.Y.P.A. made presentations. That from the former was a handsome travelling bag, while the latter organization gave a gold "Eversharp" pen as a little souvenir of their friendship. Mr. Burrell made the presentation on behalf of the warden, accompanying the gift with a little speech (in verse) in which he spoke to the gathering, remarking that his son was going to his old University to enter the very same college (Queens) where he had himself been a student. The social part of the arrangements was in the hands of the ladies, Mrs. Harvey providing the refreshments, which were served toward the end of the evening, while Miss Kate Beaumont, assisted by Cathedral members, had charge of the musical programme, with Mrs. Clifford Wain at the piano for the accompaniments.

Mr. Quainton has been a very active member of the Young People's organization, and was organist at Christ Church Cathedral for the past few months.

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## PIONEER OF CITY PASSES TO REST

Mr. Frederick J. Hall, Well-Known Local Man, Died Yesterday—Leaves Wide Circle of Friends

Mr. Frederick James Hall, pioneer of Victoria, passed away yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 340 Heywood Avenue. The late Mr. Hall, who was 70 years of age, was born in Australia and came to Canada 50 years ago. He entered this Province 10 years later, and the family took up a farm near Chemainus, which is now known as "Hall's Crossing." Shortly after the B. & N. Railway was built, the family sold the farm, and moved to the city.

The deceased man was a well-known figure in Victoria, and in the Metropolitan Methodist Church, where he was a prominent member and a faithful attendant. His passing will be greatly regretted by a wide circle of friends.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, three sons, L. W. Hall, proprietor of Hall's Drug Store, F. J. Hall, Jr., and Turner-Repton Company, and one daughter, Mrs. C. J. Day. There are also three brothers, Dr. Lewis Hall, of Victoria, and Doctors H. E. and G. A. B. Hall, of Vancouver.

The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Parlors, and further particulars and the notice of the funeral will be furnished later.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

YOUNG—Services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1425 Quadra Street, for the late Francis (Frank) Willard Young, whose death occurred on Wednesday, September 14. Rev. F. P. Chadwick will conduct the service. The funeral will be under the auspices of Camosun Lodge, No. 60, A. F. & A. M. The remains will be laid to rest in Rose Bay Cemetery.

HILL—The funeral of the late Thomas D. Hill took place yesterday afternoon from the late residence, 637 Rupert Street, where an impressive service was conducted by Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket. The remains were laid to rest in Rose Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: Mr. J. Locke, Mr. Davidson, Mr. T. Kirby, Mr. R. A. Graham, Mr. Riley and Mr. H. Mitchell.

## VICTORIAN EXHIBITS NEW SILVER POLISH

Bryten-Al is Placed on Market—Introduced by Local Manufacturer and Made in Victoria

An additional candidate to the Made-in-Canada movement has been secured by the originator of the Bryten-Al Liquid Silver Polish, which is being exhibited at the Fall Fair this coming week. The young lady who invented the polish is a resident in this city, and is very well known, although she prefers not to have her identity announced at present.

The exhibit is in one of the stalls in the Local Industry Building, which is artistically decorated with silvered glass and cut above, which make a striking background for the numerous tins of Bryten-Al, which is prepared in cases of blue and silver.

Mr. W. D. Johnston is the sales manager, and this is the first appearance of Bryten-Al on the market.

## LIBERAL BIG GUNS TO OPEN CAMPAIGN

TORONTO, Sept. 14.—The Liberal political campaign in Toronto will be opened with the biggest guns in West Toronto next Tuesday evening, September 20.

This meeting was originally planned for the West York by-election, but now it is to be the rally call for Liberalism throughout the province. Accompanying Hon. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal party, will be Hon. W. R. Fielding, Minister of Finance in the Laurier Government.

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Masonic Funeral

The brethren of Camosun Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 60, G. R. B. C., are requested to meet in the Masonic Temple, Douglas Street, on Saturday, the 17th inst., at 1:45 p.m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. Francis Willard Young.

Local brethren and visiting brethren in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the Worshipful Master, ERNEST FAIRBY, P.M., Secretary.

It is the first time the Liberal leader has spoken in Ontario since the Premier made his announcement at London. Mr. King and Mr. Fielding will reply to the Premier. Mr. Fielding probably will discuss tariff matters also.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Canadian railway \$25,000,000 issue of bonds has been over-subscribed, Dillon, Read & Co., the bond house which heads the syndicate handling the sale, announced today.

The bonds were placed on the market late yesterday. The price realized was 95 1/2, with interest to yield 6 1/2 per cent. The proceeds will be applied to the Grand Trunk Railway. Included in the syndicate with Dillon, Read & Co. are the National City Bank, Blair & Co., Bankers' Trust Company, Guaranty Loan Company, Lee Higginson & Co., and the Commercial & Commercial Trust & Savings Bank, all of New York City.

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That is the text of a cablegram received by Mayor Porter from Mr. Arthur Hearst, one of the Old Country principals with whom the city has been negotiating regarding the establishment of a woolen mill here. This message came in reply to one sent by the Mayor, stating that the concessions asked were too extensive. It was understood that Mr. Hearst was coming out to Victoria.

The cablegram from England was laid before the Streets Committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon, and it was decided to lay the matter over until Monday night, as there was not a full council present.

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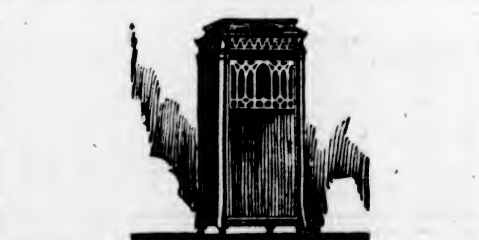
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Jeffrey's Olive Butter, reg. per jar, 23¢ and 38¢; special, per jar, 19¢ and 31¢

Norwegian Sardines, Yacht Brand, reg. per tin, 20¢; special, 2 tins for 29¢

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Neilson's Assorted Toffee, reg. per lb., 50¢; special, lb. 36¢

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Sergeants Entertainment—A whistle drive and dance was given by the sergeants mess of the 8th Regiment, C.G.A., Thursday evening, in their mess at the Drill Hall, Bay Street. After the cards a supper was served. Among those present were Sergt. Major and Mrs. Hatcher, Bandmaster and Mrs. Tumbey, Co. Sergt. Major and Mrs. S. R. Bowden, Battery-Sergt. Major and Mrs. Woodhouse, R.Q.M.S. P. W. Scott, R.Q.M.S. Ross, Pay-Sergt. Holt, Serjt. and Miss Colbert, Serjt. and Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Pearson.

**City and District in Brief****Most Cut Shrubbery**—The Streets Committee of the City Council yesterday decided to ask the Chief of Police to see that property owners on overhanging shrubbery that proved a nuisance to pedestrians.**Grass Fires**—Grass fires at Beacon Hill and Uplands gave the fire department two runs. The recent warm, dry weather has been productive of a number of such fires.**A Correction**—An error appeared in a recent account of the Island-Manual wedding. The name of the bride was given as Mrs. Letty Manual, and should have been Miss Manual.**Boxer's Brother Here**—Mr. J. S. Trendler, brother of Lou Trendler, the well known prizefighter, was in the city this week from New York, staying at the Woodhouse Hotel.**Tennis Club Dance**—The Moon Tennis Club is holding a dance in the K. of P. Hall next Wednesday evening, starting at nine o'clock. There will be a good orchestra, attendance, and a large turnout of members and friends is expected.**Good Cheer Club**—The business meeting of the Good Cheer Club took place last night at the L. O. O. F. Hall, with the president, Mrs. Dempster, in the chair, and a large attendance of members present. Many incidents pertaining to the work of the club were discussed during the session.**Judgment Given**—Judgment was rendered yesterday by Mr. Justice Macdonald, in the Supreme Court, in the action of Mundy versus Stevenson, the judgment being for the plaintiff for the amount of \$15,543.34 on a bill of exchange declared dishonored. The suit was defended. Mr. H. B. Robertson, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff.**Strawberry Vale W. L.**—Will all members of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute, who are exhibiting at the Institute stand for the annual Fall Fair next week kindly forward their exhibits not later than today to one of the following: Mrs. S. Waugh, of Holland Avenue; Mrs. Layritz, of Wilkinson Road; and Mrs. W. Foster, of Chandler Avenue.**Would Replace Badges**—Alderman Todd drew the attention of the Streets Committee yesterday afternoon to the unsightly license badges which chauffeurs driving cars for hire are forced by the City to wear, and he recommended a small button such as is used in Toronto. The matter will be referred to Commissioner Raymond for a report as to feasibility and cost.**New Road Opening**—Following the recent completion of the mile and one-half stretch of road between the Colwood Hotel and the Island Highway to a point past the Colwood golf links, the new roadway will be opened for traffic on Sunday morning, thus obviating the use of the detour from Helmcken road to Langford, used during construction of the new pavement.**Polling Date Changed**—Owing to the Municipal Act requiring that a by-law be advertised for ten clear days previous to the polling day, the day on which the election is to be held by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers has been changed from the original date, September 24, to October 1. A special meeting of the Council will be held on Monday to ratify the change.**Meeting at Colwood**—The regular monthly meeting of the Colwood and Laxton Women's Institute was held in the Institute Room, Colwood Hall, on Wednesday. Mrs. Robinson, district director, Home Branch, N.S.P., attended and outlined a suggested syllabus of a course of demonstrations in household cooking and mothercraft. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Robinson for coming out and addressing the meeting.**Special Interurban Fare**—In cooperation with the exhibition authorities and to enable residents of the Nanaimo Peninsula to visit the exhibition in as large numbers as possible, the B. C. E. Railway announces a special low rate of fare on its Nanaimo interurban system, effective Wednesday, September 21. Tickets at this low rate can be purchased on incoming trains only, and will not be good for stopovers after the 21st.**Concert and Dance**—A concert and dance was held by Court Triumph, A. O. E., at the Foresters' Hall last evening, the entertainment following a business meeting. Some taking part in the concert programme were Mr. Law, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Love, Mr. Pye, Miss Moore, Miss Jean Wallace and Mrs. McGruddy. The music for the evening was supplied by Mrs. Ridgard. Refreshments were served during the evening.**Sunday School Concert**—On Tuesday evening, October 4, the First Presbyterian Church Sunday School will hold an entertainment in the schoolroom of the church. A most interesting and unique programme is being arranged and the concert will be assured to all who attend. The programme will include vocal and instrumental music, also a number of interesting features which will be announced later.**Want Mr. Gillespie**—Friends of former Commissioner Gillespie, of South Vancouver, who recently tendered his resignation to the Government, have been urging Oliver by telegram to continue Mr. Gillespie in office. The Government had accepted the resignation of the Commissioner, but the Premier stated that so far no action had been taken relative to the requests, and he could not say whether the Government might ask Mr. Gillespie to resume the office.**Daughters of St. George**—Princess Patricia Lodge of the Order of Daughters of St. George held its weekly military five hundred in the Old Fellows' Hall on Wednesday evening. The following were the successful winners: First fort, Mrs. J. J. Den, Mrs. Brackington, Mr. Dunn and Mr. Peden; second fort, Mrs. Denyer, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Pike and Mr. Wyles. The committee in charge of the game this month is Mrs. H. Pownall, convener, assisted by Mrs. McAdam and the worthy president.**Minister Operates Upon**—Word received yesterday stated that following an operation at the Vancouver General Hospital early this week, Hon. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., M.P., former officer commanding the 16th Battalion, will be formally invited to take the presidency of the Canadian Legion, the new soldier body which is to be officially launched on Tuesday night, when heads of various soldier organizations will gather for the occasion.**On Monday night** a conference of the heads of associations is to be held, at which all the details for the launching of the one big soldier organization will be worked out. It is probable that the second in command of the various branches of different soldier bodies throughout the Dominion have signified their willingness to join.**It is unlikely** that the new body will take any definite stand politically for the coming election, but will leave this to individual members.**BOY STARTED FIRE IN ANNAPOLIS ROYAL**  
ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N.S., Sept. 16.—Because he wanted to "see the man put water on it with the hose," Thomas Miller, 12, started the fire in the stables of the Queen's Hotel here which, on September 7, destroyed about one-third of Annapolis Royal, at an estimated loss of a quarter of a million dollars, according to the boy's confession today to Chief Detective Horace Kennedy, of Halifax.**According to Miller's confession**, he lighted a pile of straw in the stables of the Queen's Hotel. He ran away when he found that there was no water in the hose "when the man came to use it."**He later returned** and worked hard to save furniture and other household effects. He broke down and cried bitterly during his confession.**CONFIDENT OF INDIA'S FUTURE**

Professor Alexander Moffatt, of Madras, Says That Natives Are Satisfied With British Policy

There is a general feeling of confidence among the people of India in the policy of the British Government with regard to the political development of that country. Individual leaders of public opinion among the Indians differ as to the rate with which the reforms should be made, but most of them are satisfied that as much has been done as they are reasonably entitled to expect at the hands of the Mother Country.

Thus did Professor Alexander Moffatt, I.L.B., F.R.S.E., Professor of Physics at the University of Madras, summarize the situation in India to a Colonel representative last night. Professor Moffatt has been living in Madras for 23 years, and is well in touch with the political and educational conditions of the country. He left India last March for Oxford, where, in July, he attended the conference of the Universities of the British Empire. He was the sole representative from the Madras University at the recent educational conference in Toronto, which, he says, was one of the greatest gatherings of the kind ever held.

Professor Moffatt gave a graphic outline of general conditions in India, pointing out that the country was divided into social strata, with the majority of the people not belonging to any religious caste. "The great mass of Indians are still comparatively uneducated; in fact, unable to read or write even their own vernacular, but above these there are various religious influences, with the Brahmins, a very well educated and well-read sect, at the top," he said.

The Brahmins, by obtaining high marks in the government examinations, secure the principal posts in the public service, so that the difficulty is a scheme of political reform is to make certain that the interests of the Brahmins shall be considered," the Professor affirmed.

It is the declared policy of the British that the government of India should be in the hands of the natives as far as possible, as set forth in the Montagu-Chelmsford report, but the real danger is to give the reform which would merely transfer the control of the country from the British to the Brahmins, and leave the great mass of the people in possibly not so promising a position as before," said Professor Moffatt.

The Professor admitted that there are a number of extremists among the Indian politicians whose chief desire is to persuade the British to turn the country over to the natives at once. He said that they were able to create a lot of trouble, even though the minority, and are to some extent responsible for a number of uprisings in the remote parts of India. Mr. Chandi, he stated, was the cause of much of the discontent among the natives, who after all, the Professor asserted, were anxious to carry out their part of the agreement with the British Government.

**India Not Homogeneous**  
"India cannot be dealt with as though she were homogeneous, for the southern part of the country is much more advanced than in the northern section. The English people first settled in the south, and by means of mission stations and schools the natives were educated in peaceful and ingenuous surroundings, which accounted for their amiable disposition," he pointed out.

"India is a socialistic state. From ancient times it had belonged to the community as a whole. An individual holds his land as a tenant of the state, while a large proportion of the medical and educational professionals are servants of the government," the Professor continued, adding that through India almost all the duties formed an integral part of the government and were being successfully conducted in that manner.

Stating that the natives were well satisfied with their Legislative Assemblies, which the Montagu-Chelmsford report gave them, Professor Moffatt said that the chief trouble was that they were unwilling to impose taxes through fear of becoming unpopular.

**Natives Are Contented**  
The educationalist believed that a fine example of feeling towards the present political modes of India was shown at the close of the first session of the Assembly at Delhi, when a public dinner was given by the Indian native members at which the president, Mr. White, was present, stating that the four chief centres of learning were at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay and Allahabad.

Professor Moffatt, who is accompanied by his wife, is at present on a tour of Canada, the United States and Europe to ascertain the newest methods adopted in the Universities of these countries, with a view to introducing a number of these innovations into the Madras institution. He has thoroughly enjoyed his journey thus far, and expects to spend the coming winter in Geneva, Switzerland.

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HALIFAX, N.S., Sept. 16.—The Boston schooner Mayflower was barred today as a contender for the international fishing schooner races by the trustees of The Halifax Herald trophy, won last year by the Gloucester schooner Rattlesnake.

**DOES NOT WANT TITLE WITHOUT ESTATES**  
VANCOUVER, Sept. 16.—"I don't want the title unless the estates go with it. A man is foolish to carry around a handle like that if he hasn't the money to support it," so said Alan Stuart Dalbraith today when shown a telegram from Toronto reporting that a claim made on his behalf by his mother to the Scottish baron of Ophirland of Gask had been officially recognized and that he, as an eldest son, was heir to the estate and to the title.**DECLARES HE IS AS SOUND AS A DOLLAR**  
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**THE WEATHER**  
Meteorological Service, Victoria, B.C., at 4 p.m., September 16, 1921.  
The weather is fair and moderately warm in British Columbia, and turning milder on the Pacific coast. In the northern part of the province it is fair and moderate.**TEMPERATURE**  
Victoria, B.C., at 4 p.m., Sept. 16: Min. 47, Max. 64.  
Nanaimo..... 47 64  
Barkerville..... 42 62  
Princess Rupert..... 44 62  
Jawson, Y.T..... 44 62  
Winnipeg, Man..... 35 52  
Grand Forks..... 32 46  
Kelowna..... 31 46  
Kaslo..... 34 41  
Cherbourg..... 28 36  
New Hazelton..... 28 36**FRIDAY**  
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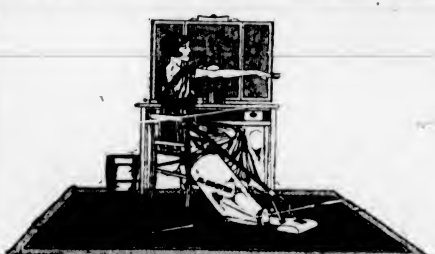
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LISTOWEL, Ont., Sept. 16.—John Matthews, 35, a returned soldier, was killed, and A. Read, a mother, badly hurt last night, when the automobile in which they were riding struck a washout near Hamon, went over a bank, and turned turtle.



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OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—The board of railway commissioners will sit in Vancouver on Monday, October 17. On their return East they will sit at different points, including Calgary, Regina and Winnipeg, and probably at Edmonton.

## BACK FROM EUROPE

### AFTER LONG VISIT

Mr. Chris Spencer, of Well-Known Firm, in Victoria After Months in England and on Continent

Among the week's visitors in the city was Mr. Chris Spencer, the Vancouver head of the firm of Messrs. David Spencer, Ltd. Mr. Spencer has just returned from a protracted pleasure trip to Europe, where he was accompanied by his wife and daughter, and their observations and experiences as visitors in the Old World have given them much to remember. Naturally Mr. Spencer was extremely interested in the industrial conditions everywhere, and he expressed the view that the settlement of the coal strike in England would do much to solve some of the existing unemployment. When he was in Great Britain coal was sixty shillings, nearly three and a half times as much as before the war. Manufacturers were looking for a very considerable reduction, but believed that even at thirty-five shillings coal would be in much demand to start up industries once more on their old basis. At present the majority of the factories were operating only one-third time.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer visited the scenes of much of the fighting which took place on the Western front, but reported that there were very little evidences left of the ravages of war. France's recovery had been wonderful, and the industry of the people had converted the devastated area into beautifully tilled agricultural lands. From France, where the party traveled from Calais southwards through the erstwhile war area, visiting Loperinghe, the Somme, Ypres, Vimy, Arras, and finally Paris, they went to Switzerland, thence going on to Italy, Rome, Venice, Pompeii and other well-known historic cities. There were visited, but although they found beauty and interest in them all, they were not insensible to changes which had come in the rapid transition which has affected all parts of the world during the last few years. From what he had heard, France and Germany were experiencing less unemployment than any other European countries.

## FRENCH PARLIAMENT TO MEET OCTOBER 18

PARIS, Sept. 16.—The cabinet, at a meeting presided over by President Millerand, decided to call an extraordinary session of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies for October 18. During the course of the meeting Premier Briand presented the strike situation in Roubaix and Turoing to the cabinet. He praised the strikers for their readiness for conciliation and expressed the hope that the employers would consent to the same method of settling their differences with the employees.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Registered at the Oak Bay Hotel is Mrs. Archibald Smith, of Vancouver.

Major Rowling, O.R.E., is a visitor to this city en route to India.

The Misses Bullen, of Victoria, have left for Montreal, where they will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumberbatch, of this city, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Bloudeau, of Vancouver.

Mr. B. Branch, of Shanghai, China, has arrived in the Capital after spending a few days in Vancouver.

Sir Charles Hildbert Tupper, K.C., and Lady Tupper, of Vancouver, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. J. Gaudin, of 1022 Oliphant Street, has left for a visit to Vancouver.

Miss M. McLeod is spending a few days in the Terminal City, and while there is a guest at the Glencoe Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. F. McDonald, of Victoria, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Chris A. Godfrey.

Mrs. E. Frew, of Vancouver, is the house guest of Mrs. J. Coates, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. McRae, of Vancouver, are spending their honeymoon in this city.

Miss Mary Jamieson, of Victoria, who is staying in Vancouver, attended a dance there given by the Gryo Club last Wednesday.

Major P. Bennett, accompanied by his son, who were recent visitors to Victoria en route from California to the upper country, have left this city.

Mr. Andrew Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stuart Robertson, of "Struan," has left for Montreal, where he will attend McGill University.

Mrs. C. J. Whiten and her two boys have returned to Vernon, after spending the Summer months with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Lee, 535 Trutch Street.

Among the visitors to Victoria from Vancouver are Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wilkinson and Miss Jennie Wilkinson, who will spend the coming week here.

Miss Mildred Rose, of Earls Court, who has been visiting in this city with her parents, has returned to Vancouver and is staying with Miss Hazel Smith.

Among the Vancouver visitors to the city who registered at the Strathcona Hotel yesterday were Mrs. M. Wilson, Mr. V. Dixon, Mr. R. G. Steeves, Mrs. M. Ayer, Mr. S. Gracey and Mr. W. Hawcliffe.

Of interest to old-timers of this city will be the news that Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ewart spent the week-end in Victoria en route to the Okanagan Valley, where they will spend the Winter.

Miss Reina Walsh, of Ottawa, who has been the house guest of General and Mrs. Gwynne, of Sidney, has left for Vancouver where she will visit with Mrs. Newton Ker, of Shaughnessy Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Potter, who have been several months in this city, have returned to their home in Hongkong. Their children are remaining in Victoria until December, when they will return to the Orient.

Miss Grace Beckwith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beckwith, left on Thursday for Montreal to resume her studies at McGill University. En route Miss Beckwith will spend a few days at Muskoka, Lakes, attending the students' conference as a representative of McGill.

Mrs. H. Currie last night gave a very charming little house dance in the lounge at "Cherry Bank" in honor of Mrs. Pollard, of Yokohama, who is leaving for the Far East in a few days' time after spending some weeks in Victoria visiting with her young son and daughter, who are attending the Military School at Mount Tolmie, and St. Margaret's, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clapp, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. H. Shreve, Vancouver; Mr. Homer Strand, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Younger, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Houston, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Olson, Calgary; Mr. Edward C. Woods, Shanghai, China, and Mrs. Hatchings, of Cobble Hill, are stopping at the Westholme Hotel.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion Hotel included: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Rowden, Salt Spring Island; Mr. and Mrs. Burch, Seattle; Mr. W. Sewell, Tacoma; Mr. John Lowery Ladysmith, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Quon, and Mrs. J. A. MacDonald, Miss M. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Snider, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holden, all of Vancouver.

## SIDNEY

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, of

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, of Penticton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Forner, motored up to Duncan to attend the fair which opened today.

Mr. Alfred Critchley has returned home after a trip up the Island as far as Campbell River. Mrs. Critchley, who was visiting in Cumberland, returned with her husband for a day, and then returned to Ladysmith to visit her brother, Mr. Frank Griffiths.

Among those who visited the Ganges fair on Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Taylor, Mrs. Hambley, Mrs. B. Deacon, Rev. and Mrs. T. Griffiths, Mrs. Lophthien and daughter, Mr. H. Dawson, Mrs. Brewster, Mr. Randy McDonald and Mrs. F. F. Fern.

The Ladies' Aid of the Union Church met at the home of Mrs. Voss, Amelia Avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Taylor, senior, in the chair. There was a good attendance, and a large amount of business was transacted. The hostess served tea, following the business, and a pleasant half hour was spent.

The W. A. of St. Andrew's Church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Stanley Brethour today. Mrs. J. Critchley being in the chair. It was decided to hold the annual sale of work on December 9. Mrs. Critchley read a very interesting paper on the leaflet, "Union of Churches," by Bishop Brent, of England. Mrs. Philip was welcomed as a new member. At the close of the meeting the hostess served a delicious tea.

The basic force back of immigration is hunger.

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S TOMORROW

Mrs. D. A. Mackay Will Address Congregation of Victoria West Presbyterian Church

Representing the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Mrs. A. D. Mackay, a native of Nova Scotia, and for many years a resident of Winnipeg, Mack, will address the congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, at the forenoon service which begins at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

Mrs. Mackay, who for her consistent life and faithful service is held in high esteem in the church, is a well-informed and effective speaker.

In the evening the pastor will be assisted by the Rev. W. W. McPherson, D.D., pastor of Westminster Church, Saskatoon, one of the leading churches of the Synod of Saskatchewan. Previous to his settlement in Saskatoon, Mr. McPherson, who is here to see off a party of missionaries about to sail for the Orient, was assistant pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Winnipeg. A young man himself, Mr. McPherson's message will doubtless be of special interest to young people.

Rev. Walter Coates, missionary designate to Formosa, and a close personal friend of the pastor of Westminster Church, delivered an informative and inspirational address on "Missions" last Wednesday evening at St. Paul's.

Another matter of special interest to the Presbyterians of Victoria West is the return from his Summer vacation of Mr. W. H. McDonald, the faithful and efficient superintendent of St. Paul's Church Sunday school. A very large attendance is expected to welcome the superintendent on Sunday.

## BIBLE CONFERENCE

Arrangements Completed for Meeting at First Presbyterian Church on 21st Instant

All arrangements have now been completed by a committee of laymen representative of various religious bodies for the holding of a Bible conference in the First Presbyterian Church, commencing on Wednesday next at 8 o'clock p.m.

The conference, which will be strictly under non-denominational auspices, will be conducted by Dr. Duncan Donald Munro of New York, the well-known Bible scholar and teacher. Those who had the privilege of hearing Dr. Munro on his last visit to St. Paul's Church will need no second invitation. For the information of those unacquainted with this distinguished Bible scholar and preacher, it may be pointed out that he has been associated with leading evangelical pastors such as Dr. Haldeman, Dr. Chafer, Dr. Griffith Thomas, Dr. Riley and Paul Roder.

Dr. Munro, who, as his Scottish birth and upbringing would insure, is thoroughly sound in Scripture, and is desirous of emphasizing the importance of Christian fundamentals in present day teaching.

A rally of all Bible lovers is anticipated during his ten-day visit here.

## MOOSEHEART SOCIAL

Successful Affair Held at Winona, George Road, and Attended by Many Legionnaires

A whist drive and dance which proved most successful was held on Thursday evening under the auspices of Victoria Chapter, No. 25, W.G.M.L. Through the kindness of Legionnaires White and Pearce, the affair was staged at their residence, "Winona."

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## 101 GORGE ROAD. The rooms were

prettily decorated, and there were about 150 guests present, comprising legionnaires, members of the senior lodge and friends. The pianists were Brothers Wallace and Perry, and their music was greatly appreciated.

Brother Colbourne made a very capable M.C. The winners in the whist tournament were: First lady, Mrs. C. White (a visitor from Swift Current, Sask.); second lady, Mrs. Cowdery; booby, Mrs. Harris. First gentleman, Mr. F. Lawrence; second gentleman, Mr. F. J. Merryfield; booby, Mr. F. K. De Wolf. The drive was in charge of Brother Jarnall.

Refreshments were served by members of the ladies' social committee, composed of Legionnaires Spouse, Monk, Colbourne and Willmott. Dancing was afterwards resumed and continued until a late hour.

## Victim of Automobile

HAMILTON, Ont., Sept. 16.—A pedestrian was killed here this afternoon when an automobile driven by Edgar Haley, of Dundas, became uncontrollable and, mounting a boulevard, pinned Robert Matley, a 14-year-old boy, against a board fence.

## VANCOUVER BOARD WILL NOT PROTEST

VANCOUVER, Sept. 16.—It is unlikely that any protest will be filed by Vancouver against the decision of the Board of Railway Commissioners, declining to grant any reduction at present in freight rates, according to statements made by those who have been giving their time and attention to British Columbia's transportation problems.

The fact that the Province in the very near future will submit its case on the freight question generally to the railway board is the reason chiefly for the decision to make no formal protest at this time.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For All Kinds of Catering see Payne & Badger, Central Cafe, or phone 42541.

Alexandra Ballroom—Saturday night dances. Perry's orchestra. Prices, 65c, and 25c ladies.

On and After September 1 the Central Cafe will open at 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. White cooks.

Dr. J. P. Shute, Dentist, office No. 262 Pemberton Building. Phone 7187.

Town and Country Library, latest books, reading and writing room. 727 Fort Street.

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Usual Dance tonight, Caledonia Hall, View Street. Wallace's six-piece orchestra, including saxophone. 8:30 to 11:30.

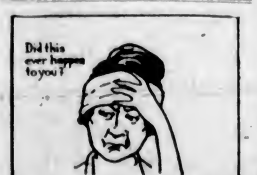
Dr. Geo. C. J. Walker, Dentist, has moved his office from the Arcade Building to Union Bank Building, Room 311. Phone 7195.

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Rev. W. P. Goard will deliver addresses in First Presbyterian Church, Quadra Street, on September 19 and 20, at 8 p.m. His topics are "Awakening of Britain" and "Great Movements Impending Among the Nations." All patriotic citizens are urged to be present.

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## G. G. WATSON TAKES OWN LIFE

Veteran Suffering From War Injuries, Who Was Recently in Victoria, Dies From Poison in Seattle Hotel

SEATTLE, Sept. 16.—Believed to have been suffering from injuries received in war service, and evidently laboring under the delusion that a young woman was defaming his character, George Gilbert Watson, 41 years old, a Canadian overseas veteran, ended his life with poison some time Wednesday night in his room at the Georgian Hotel here.

The body was found in bed yesterday afternoon by a maid, and was removed to the morgue.

From letters left to relatives and friends, and a diary which Watson kept up to the time of his death, it was apparent he had been in a hospital, and that he had recently visited Dallas, Texas, and from there gone north through San Francisco and Seattle to Victoria, B.C., returning here from the British Columbia capital the day before his death.

Watson was apparently deeply religious, and also was interested in Boy Scout work. He speaks of visiting a Boy Scout camp in Victoria. A letter was left for Thomas Hildout, scoutmaster at Victoria.

Among the dead man's effects was a telegram received from a woman signing the name "Mary," at Dallas, Texas, referring evidently to a telegram she had received that he was injured. In his diary he speaks of receiving an injury at Victoria. In his diary and in his letters, he speaks of being worried, but does not directly say he is going to end his life.

Besides the letter left to Mr. Hildout, there are messages for his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Duncan, Almonite, Ont., to Miss Florence Lamb, Y.W.C.A., Ottawa; to Miss Alice Kennedy, North Bay, Ont.; a card for Miss M. Watson, Cottage Hospital, Pembroke, Ont. He also speaks in his diary of a cousin, Miss Edna McCaughan, at Victoria.

Came From Almonite, Ont.

ALMONITE, Ont., Sept. 16.—George G. Watson, war veteran and prominent young man from this town, who ended his life by taking poison in a Seattle hotel, had suffered injuries in the war, including gas, shell shock and wounds. It is thought that suffering from his injuries led to his suicide. He left Almonite a few months ago for the West upon attaining the age of 21 and falling heir to a considerable sum of money left him by his father, who died when George was but a child. He is survived by his mother, now Mrs. Sydney Duncan, of Almonite, and a sister, Shilke, training as a nurse in the Pembroke hospital.

## TIME LIMIT SET

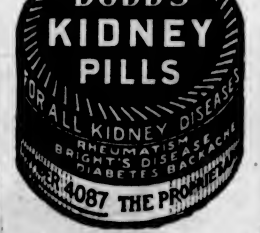
Three weeks have been granted Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., within which to file his defense in the Supreme Court action brought against him by Mr. James R. Cotworth for damages for libel and defamation of character.

The suit is one in which Mr. Cotworth claims damages for libel and defamation of character. In consequence of a speech delivered by Mr. Bowser at the Orpheum Theatre, July 28, 1915, libel is also charged concerning a pamphlet, entitled "Reply of the Hon. W. J. Bowser, K.C., to a Pamphlet Entitled 'The Crisis in B.C.'"

Mr. R. L. Reid, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff. A letter was read from the leader of the opposition, and stated that an extension in the time for filing the defense was necessary because Mr. Bowser was at present touring the interior of the Province, and consequently was not available for consultation. An affidavit to this effect had been deposited by James Goodwin Gibson, member of the firm of Bowser, Reid, Westbridge, Douglas & Gibson.

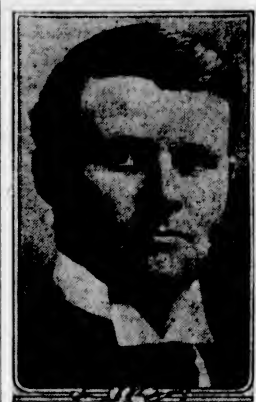
Mr. Reid suggested one month's extension, but Mr. Cotworth, who is his own lawyer, objected. Mr. Cotworth pointed out that the Legislature convenes October 18, after which date Mr. Bowser's time would no doubt be fully occupied. Mr. Cotworth consented to an extension of three weeks.

Mr. Reid interposed that the matter did not seem to be urgent because Mr. Cotworth had waited six years, all but one day, before leaving his writ. If he waited another day the action would have been barred by the statute of limitations.



## SPEAKS ON AMERICAN RELATIONS TONIGHT

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper Will Address Public Meeting in Empress Hotel Ballroom—Is Fine Orator



SIR CHARLES H. TUPPER, K.C.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., will address the members of the recently organized British-American League in the Empress hotel ballroom tonight at 8:30 o'clock on the theme, "Anglo-American Relations." The members of the league extend an invitation to the public to attend the meeting. No one is better able to express the Canadian viewpoint on this topic than Sir Charles, who is well known as one of Canada's brilliant orators.

The British-American League has already made substantial progress in Victoria, and possesses among its personnel a number of the city's most prominent citizens. It is the intention of the league to extend the organization throughout the British Empire and the United States, and in the meantime speakers from the United States will be invited to speak to Canadians on the relations between the two countries.

Tonight's gathering is open to everyone and is entirely free. High School students and teachers are especially invited to be present, as the league possesses an educational mission, namely to teach the children of the English-speaking nations to respect each other's flag and country.

## COST OF SICKNESS HAS BEEN REDUCED

Statements at Hospital Meeting Show That Cost of Patients Is \$3.01 as Against \$4.00 Last Year

Evidence of considerable lowering in the cost of the commodities of life as well as of the exercise of economy in the operation of the institution is shown in the statement of the Jubilee Hospital statement of receipts and expenditures as read at the general monthly board meeting last evening. This showed that the average cost per diem per patient was \$3.01, as against \$4.00 last year.

"What do we pay for our meat?" asked one of the members.

"Fifteen cents per pound for beef," replied the general superintendent. The hospital was paying 25c for milk, a statement which drew another of the members of the board to recall that he had seen in the press this week that the producer was being paid only 23c.

Other figures shown in the financial statement for the month of August showed that the receipts (including the city grant of \$10,000 and the Government grant of \$2,519.80) for that period had been \$25,907.81, while expenditure had amounted to \$14,957.35.

## Medical Superintendent

Confirmation of the appointment of Dr. Russell as medical superintendent of the hospital was given when the board adopted Mr. Gordon's resolution to that effect. A letter was read from the S.C.R. patients in the hospital expressing their pleasure that Dr. Russell was taking this office in connection with the institution.

The board was apparently prepared to act on the recommendation of the Medical Society, and hereafter will elect the consultant staff for the hospital themselves. This, it was held, was the custom in most of the larger and older hospitals in Canada, the United States and Great Britain, which revived discussion in the institution hospital question. This institution the city is willing to turn over to the hospital, but there has not hitherto been any permanent understood arrangement, so the city representatives on the board have been delegated to undertake the incorporation of the institution hospital with the Jubilee Hospital, and will bring the matter before the City Council at its next meeting.

Dr. Walker, pathologist at the hospital, is to be granted leave of absence in order that he may visit laboratories at Seattle and Vancouver to examine certain methods and appliances used in connection with the study of metabolism.

## Fined for Smoking in Zion

ZION CITY, Ill., Sept. 16.—Found guilty by a jury on a charge of smoking a pipe, M. Anderson, a lace worker, was fined \$10 and costs, totalling \$20.70, yesterday. He had been arrested for smoking while on his way home from work. His attorney sought to convince the jury that smoking was a necessary evil. Smoking on the streets is prohibited by a Zion ordinance.

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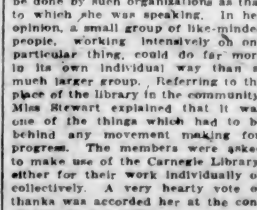
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Victorians Figure in  
St. Louis Golf MatchesSEASON OPENS FOR  
DEER AND GROUSE

Many Hunters Follow the Call of the Wild—Game Is Plentiful, Is the Report From the Country

Victoria Nimrod is flocking to the country in large numbers this morning and eagerly tracking the deer and grouse over the wooded hills and valleys of Vancouver Island. The season, which opens with sunrise this morning has been awaited with anticipation of pleasure by hundreds of hunters, and large numbers of automobiles carried them out of the city at the lure of the wild.

There are several restrictions that must be abided by this year, and the hunter who would keep within the regulations of the law had better pay a close attention to them. There has been considerable discussion in the matter of deer shooting, and it is announced that only bucks may be killed this season.

No willow grouse can be shot anywhere at any time this season. No grouse or deer can be shot in South Saanich or the Highland District.

Hunters are restricted to three deer in the season.

Hunters are restricted to six grouse in one day and fifty in the season.

In regard to duck and pheasant,

## S.O.E. FOOTBALL CLUB

All players of above club and others desirous of joining are asked to be at Beacon Hill Park at 2 o'clock this afternoon for practice.

The season for which opens on October 15, the following points might be remembered:

Twenty ducks may be shot in one day and 150 in the season.

Ten geese and brant may be shot in one day and fifty in the season.

Six pheasants in one day and twenty-five in the season.

Quail will be limited to twenty in one day and 150 in the season, while the restrictions on partridge are six for one day and twenty-five for the season.

The provincial offices were busy yesterday issuing licences, and the indications are that there will be an increase of sportmen in the woods over last year's number. One fact that will help to make this one of the best hunting seasons is the report that grouse are very plentiful everywhere. The year has been specially good for breeding, and the hunter should have no trouble in getting a good bag.

The provincial police have made the announcement that no grouse can be shot in the South Saanich district this season and that deer are also barred in this section. They warn all hunters to take cognizance of this regulation.

Washington informed congress a few days after the battle of Brandywine that 1,500 of his men were without shoes.

## SPORTING NEWS

Gid's Pets vs Wanderers  
At Jubilee GroundsMIKE GIBBONS TO  
SCRAP IN LONDON

Will Sail From New York November 5, and Will Accept Offer of British Boxing Promoter to Meet "Kid" Lewis

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 16.—Mike Gibbons, middleweight boxer of St. Paul, Minn., will sail from New York November 5, for London, where he will box Ted "Kid" Lewis twenty rounds on November 17. It was announced tonight by Mike Collins, Gibbons' manager. Collins said he had accepted an offer from Major Wilson, British boxing promoter, for the bout, which will be held in Albert Hall, London.

Gibbons arrived here today for his decision bout Friday night with Battling Ortega, of San Francisco. Collins said Major Wilson also offered to match Gibbons with Johnny Hasham and Jake Bloomfield in England, and said if Gibbons won all the three bouts he would endeavor to obtain a match with Georges Carpentier in England, some time in December.

GIBBONS KNOCKS OUT  
ORTEGA IN FIGHT

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 16.—Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, Minn., knocked out Battling Ortega, of San Francisco, in the seventh round of a scheduled 12-round bout here tonight.

The knockout came early in the seventh. Gibbons sent two hard lefts to the jaw and a right to the point of the chin, and Ortega crumpled to the floor.

Gibbons showed his old-time speed from the start and had the best of it all the way.

WINS CLOSE RACE  
AT GRAND CIRCUIT

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Sept. 16.—Emma Harvester, owned by Brook Farm, Gloster, N.Y., and driven by Capt. C. H. Hughes, won the 2:03 class trotting Governor's Cup event, in a grueling race yesterday at the Grand Circuit meeting here. "Pop" Geers, behind Wiki Wiki, took the first heat, and E. Colorado, driven by Walter Cox, got the second. Emma Harvester, however, finished the third and fourth, finishing in both no more than a nose in front. Her best time was 2:04 1/2, in the third heat.

"GERANIUMS" WILL  
PLAY BALL TODAY

At five o'clock this afternoon at the Stadium, the baseball teams of the Victoria and Vancouver Gyro Clubs are scheduled to meet. The local Gyros are planning to turn out in force, while it is expected that the Mainlanders will bring some rooters along with them. The local Gyro team has been trying to get a game for some time with the neighboring club, and at last there has come an opportunity when, if there is any truth at all in the boasts of both sides, it will be brought out.

## BABE HITS AGAIN

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Babe Ruth made his fifty-sixth home run of the season today in the fourth inning of the St. Louis-New York game. Shocker was pitching for St. Louis. No one was on base.

## YARROWS MEET

The Yarrows Football Club held its meeting at the Veterans Clubrooms last evening and elected the following officers: Tom Briggs, manager; A. Baker, secretary-treasurer, and Tom Merry, runner. A selection committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. Briggs, Baker and Nicol. Most of last year's players will be in the club's line-up again and the team will be strengthened by a few new men. The first practice game will be held September 24, Royal Athletic Park.

The Junior Polo Champs PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—The Meadowbrook Fox Hunters won the National Junior polo championship today by defeating the Philadelphia Country Club four in the final match of the tournament. The score was 17 goals to 3.

Sets World's Record SYRACUSE, N.Y., Sept. 16.—A new world's record for a three-year-old trotting gelding was set here today when Cesar Worthing, sired by Cesar Frenz, and a grandson of Asworth, trotted a mile in 2:03 1/2. Cesar Worthing was driven by Tom Murphy. Today's record was the third set by him during the week.

Kilbane-Fruth Bout CLEVELAND, Sept. 16.—Featherweight champion Johnny Kilbane, and Danny Fruth, of Baltimore, challenger, expressed themselves as being in perfect condition tonight after the final day of secret training for their 12-round, no-decision bout here tomorrow afternoon.

AUSTRALIA MAY HAVE  
MAN AT WASHINGTON

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to Reuters' agency from Melbourne says that the Federal Government is awaiting the return from London of Premier Hughes before deciding whether Australia shall be represented at the disarmament conference in Washington.

In the meantime, Sir Joseph Cook, who is acting as Premier, said that at present he sees no hope of direct representation at the conference. The propriety of sending a Minister who would be obliged to reach the conference by a "back door route," he said, would also have to be considered.

The Melbourne Herald thinks that a strong section of the Commonwealth Cabinet will support the sending of a delegate from Australia.

Lord Northcliffe has expressed the view that Australia ought to be represented at Washington in an advisory capacity to the British representatives.

YUKON LEGISLATURE  
PASSES LIQUOR LAW

DAWSON, N.T., Sept. 16.—The Yukon Legislature has concluded a special session, at which it enacted laws in accordance with the plebiscite of last July whereby Government liquor stores will be opened throughout the territory immediately.

Stores for the sale of liquor under Government supervision have been opened in this city, Mayo and Whitehorse. Gold Commissioner Mackenzie has appointed as vendors Major S. M. McKim for Dawson, William Douglas for Mayo, and Larry Higgins for Whitehorse. All of the appointees are returned men.

The liquor act passed by the Legislature is similar to the act in force in British Columbia.

JUGO-SLAVIA TRIES  
TO PROTECT CURRENCY

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—The Tagblatt's Belgrade correspondent reports the enactment of legislation involving even the death penalty aimed at arresting the decline in value of Jugoslavian currency.

The measures, which will become effective in a short time, include new tariffs making the importation of luxuries virtually impossible, and lowering, and in some cases, entirely removing, export duties.

Exchange transactions are said by The Tagblatt to be made under the new law, a monopoly of the National Bank of Jugoslavia.

Any banks whose operations are calculated to depress the value of the country's currency are to be forcibly closed. Currency smugglers will incur capital punishment.

NEW BRUNSWICK SENDS  
POTATOES TO EUROPE

ST. JOHN, Sept. 16.—New Brunswick potato growers, who were hit hard by the tariff legislation in the United States, which practically stopped the large exports across the border in the previous years, have made arrangements to market future crops in Europe.

The Furness-Wythe Line has contracted to supply fifteen steamers to carry potatoes to the new markets. The moving of the crop to St. John has already begun.

Methodist Conference Closed LONDON, Sept. 16.—The world's conference of Methodists adjourned tonight after a final symposium on "the lessons of the conference."

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AIR TRANSPORT NOT  
AN EXPENSIVE LUXURY

Rates on London-Paris Route Have Been Brought Down to Seven Cents Per Mile Per Passenger

The commercial development of the aerial transport, although still in its infancy, is not the expensive luxury that many would suppose. Writing in The London Times, Harry Harper, Secretary of the Civil Aerial Transport Committee, discloses the fact that the cost per mile per passenger on the London-Paris route is a trifle over 7d. This as compared with 150 for a single fare in 1919 and 145 in 1920. According to a report of the British and French companies conducting the London-Paris air service, 3,332 passengers were carried from September, 1919, to October, 1920; 199,885 pounds weight of goods were transported and the total distance covered was approximately 302,000 miles.

"Far from being costly," writes Mr. Harper, "the air transport of urgent loads should soon be possible at rates which in the view of the time saved, will be astonishingly cheap. Take as a concrete example, the third of the De Havilland passenger 'air express' which is just about to be placed on the daily London-Paris 'airway.' This machine, an example of the first effort to carry regular commercial loads by air as a purely business proposition, attains the high speed which is essential in view of the frequently adverse weather conditions on the London-Paris route.

450 H. P. Motor

"Although using the power of only one 450-horsepower motor, this machine carries its pilot and his eight passengers—the latter in airchair seats in a charming saloon—at a maximum speed as great as 128 miles an hour. It has a cruising speed as high as 108 miles an hour. Yet, though it is thus veritably an 'air express,' the latest calculations, based on the actual experience of the operation of this type, show that eight passengers can now be carried in this craft at more than 100 miles an hour for a total operating cost, including all charges in addition to those for actually operating the machine, of only a fraction of one over 3 1/2d. per mile per passenger.

"This, bearing in mind the fact that the machine in question, admirably designed though it is, is merely a first attempt to produce a commercial airplane, is highly encouraging; particularly when it is remembered that by next Spring and Summer we shall be able to obtain an even better performance. A monoplane now being built in the De Havilland works will carry two more passengers for the same power than the existing type 'air express,' while simplified construction will not only imply a low first cost for the machine, but also a reduced maintenance bill when it is in daily service.

The Nimfuh Theory

"Research work is going ahead with sustaining planes on new aerodynamic principles which may, if their commercial application proves successful, bring down running costs to almost evolutionary extent. In British flying circles we have been much interested in reports from abroad as to the progress of Professor Rudolf Nimfuh, the Austrian scientist, whose theory is that we shall not obtain the fullest efficiency in flying until we imitate mechanically, far as it is possible to do so, the methods of birds and insects. Professor Nimfuh's theories have been investigated by experts of international repute, and he is proceeding to the United States, at the invitation of a powerful syndicate, to begin the construction of a series of experimental machines which should throw light on certain problems in aerodynamics.

"A pulsating wing is the chief feature of the Nimfuh theory. In its commercial form this wing will be hollow, with a flexible membrane forming the underneath side. In the wing itself will be the bag operated by an air compressing apparatus in a way that will permit it to be filled and emptied with extreme rapidity. This pulsating action, communicated to the flexible membrane on the lower side of the wing, will impart a series of wave-beats or vibrations to the cushion of compressed air formed under the wing in flight, resulting not only in a pulsating but also a pulsing action, the latter being due to the wavelike nature of the vibrations set up. It is intended, in fact, that air screws should, in the perfect machine, be discarded altogether.

The "Air Lorry"

"Other aspects of this interesting principle are rather too technical for any brief description, but it may be stated by way of summary, that it is claimed, assuming the success of a commercial aircraft with the Nimfuh wing, that we shall be able to obtain with about 10 horsepower results which today entail the expenditure of about 200 horsepower. We may, in fact, reach much sooner than we expected the era of an 'air lorry' type of flying machines in which urgent goods can be transported not only more rapidly, but also more economically, than is possible by any form of earth transportation save the slowest train or boat.

"Commercially most interesting, too, is the development and improvement, mechanically of such a wing design as that of the Handley-Page Company. Already, seen in its simple form, the wing can transform the performance of an existing airplane; and when it can be used in such a way that full advantage is gained from the theory, the results, seen, say, on an 'airway' between London and the continent, should be to reduce costs to an extent almost undreamed of a little while ago. In a craft now being built for instance, and embodying the Handley-Page wing it is expected to carry as many as ten or a dozen people at a cruising speed of 100 miles an hour, with the

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DESIGNERS' CHANCE  
TO SECURE PRIZES

TORONTO, Sept. 16.—The Aero Club of Canada draws attention to an invitation by the British Air Ministry to designers and inventors to submit specimens of safety tanks for fuel in aircraft, and the fact that prizes to the extent of £2,000 will be awarded for the models considered to be the best.

Entries have to be made to reach the Air Ministry, London, by the seventh of November next. Tanks will have to be ready for tests by December 1.

CIRCUS IS ROBBED  
OF NEARLY \$30,000

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 16.—Three unidentified men late tonight held up and robbed officials of the Gaiety Circus at Vancouver, Wash., following the night performance in that city, and robbed them of between \$28,000 and \$30,000, the day's receipts. The men escaped.

The Portland police were notified of the robbery, during which, it is said, several shots were fired.

Grand Trunk Pensions

TORONTO, Sept. 16.—Hon. G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor, in passing through Toronto today, en route to Hamilton, said that there was reason to hope that the long outstanding grievance of Grand Trunk Railway train service employees because of pensions on retirement being denied, would soon be adjusted.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Chamagne for medicinal use is being imported through this port at an average of more than 600 quarts a day.

ALIENS INCREASE  
PARIS POPULATION

Statistics show that the increase in the population of Paris over the census of ten years ago is not due to increased birth rate, but to the influx of foreigners. Of an 18,000 increase 11,000 are foreigners, with the largest numbers at Paris, where the American colony is established, and at Belleville, where Jews of all nations are rapidly forming a Ghetto along the lines of that in New York.

The total foreign element is estimated at 165,000, and as there is a new law which provides that the city's representation in the Chamber of Deputies be based on purely French population, instead of on the total census, as in the past, several politicians see the possibility of losing their jobs at the next elections.

Another interesting point of the census is the great excess of women. Although this is natural after a long war, the statisticians declare that the shortage of males is more serious in France than in any other country in Europe. One district in Paris reported 47,000 male adults and children and 66,000 females, the latter chiefly between the ages of 20 and 29 years.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 16.—C. Richards, Vancouver, B.C., was elected secretary-treasurer of the International Association of Fire-Fighters at the closing session of the annual convention here today. Fred W. Bauer, Kansas City, Mo., was re-elected president.

## Notice to Hunters

Any person found hunting on that fenced tract of land belonging to the Chilpancingo State, lying between Mathews Lake (Mexico) and Inner Smoke Harbor, on either side of the C.M.R., without written permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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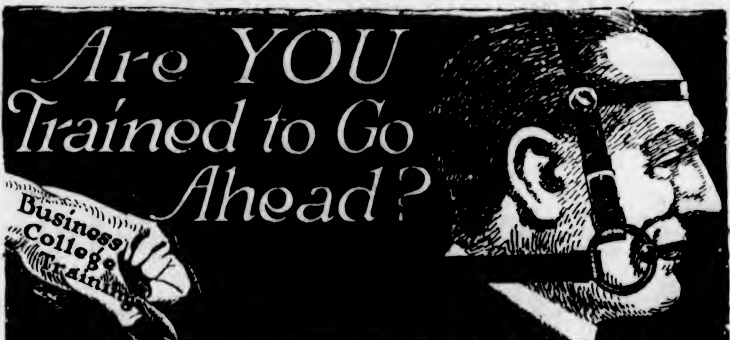
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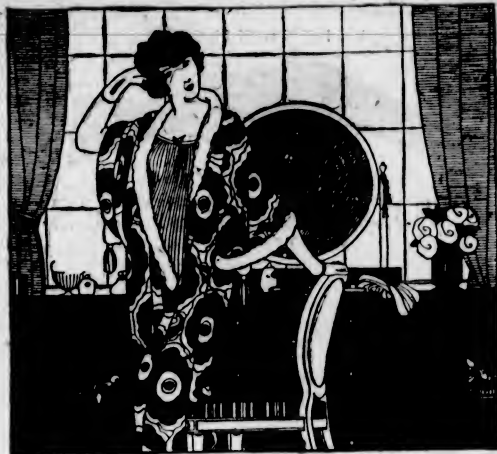
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## FOUR VESSELS TAKE OUT 1,800 ORIENTALS

Ocean Liners Do Brisk Business in Chinese and Japanese Travel in Forty-Eight Hours

When the Admiral liner Silver State leaves here this afternoon for Yokohama, she will be the fourth ocean vessel to clear from this port in forty-eight hours, loaded to the gunwale with Orientals going home for the Chinese New Year. Whatever is lacking in the way of first class travel is more than made up by the rush of Chinese and Japanese seeking passage by every vessel destined for the Orient. Vessels of the Admiral Line have been booked to the limit of their capacity through to the end of the year. The same is true of the Canadian Pacific, while the ships of the Japanese lines, with more limited stowage accommodation, find difficulty, not in filling their ships, but in finding room for all the people wishing to cross over, by them.

The first of the liners going out with a full allotment of Orientals was the Empress of Russia. Approximately 700 Chinese sailed by the

Russia when she left here in the small hours of yesterday morning. Last night the Suwa Maru followed her to sea, with about 300 steerage passengers, 127 of whom joined her at this port. Later in the night the Blue Funnel steamship Proteus sailed. The Blue vessel took on 225 Chinese when she reached here at 8 o'clock, and had other large lots from Seattle and Vancouver, bringing her total to about 500. This afternoon the Silver State will sail with some 300 Orientals, 205 from Victoria, the last of the quartette of ships that will in all have transported some 1,800 Asiatics in two days from Canada and the United States.

## TOWBOAT GROUNDED OUTSIDE LADYSMITH

Undamaged by the mishap that put her ashore near the entrance to Ladysmith harbor, the tug Chehalis, of the Curry-Davies Tug & Barge Co., of Seattle, has been refloated and taken into Chemulung. The Chehalis left Seattle last Sunday and ran ashore early Tuesday morning. A second tug, the Oregon, owned by the company, went to her assistance. The Chehalis is believed to have encamped with small injury. She is a well known member of the Puget Sound towboat fleet.

Great Britain was assessed \$15,000 for the damages resulting from the Confederate cruisers Alabama, Florida and Shenandoah, built in English shipyards.

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## RETURN TO ORIENT AFTER SUMMER HERE

Suwa Maru Takes Back European Dwellers Across the Pacific as Winter Draws In—Heavy Steerage List

European residents in Japan and China who have been spending the warm summer months on this coast instead of putting up with the trying climatic conditions of the Asiatic coast, formed a large proportion of the passenger list going out last night by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamship Suwa Maru. Ten such emigrants embarked on the vessel at this port when she reached here outbound from Seattle at five p.m. yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Harper and family of five children took passage back to Shanghai by the Suwa, after visiting here for the summer. Mr. Harper is Deputy Commissioner of Public Works for the Shanghai Municipal Council. Mrs. H. Vincent, also a resident here for the last few months, was returning to Yokohama. Messrs. C. Robinson, F. Cook, and J. Simpson boarded the Suwa, after visiting here with Yokohama as their destination.

The Suwa took out full cabins in all classes. There was an exceptionally heavy run of steerage bookings, and the Japanese line was unable to accommodate all the travelers seeking transit across the Pacific. Japanese to the number of 127 joined the ship at this port. A Japanese who has been held at the Immigration shed was deported to Japan by the ship.

The next inbound liner of the N.Y.K. fleet is the Fushima Maru, due on September 22.

## MONTEAGLE HAD FINE TRANSPACIFIC TRIP

Reached Port Here Yesterday at Noon—Light Passenger List Brought in From Oriental Ports

Completing a passage favored with exceptionally fine weather from the Japanese to the Canadian coast, the Canadian Pacific steamship Monteaigle reached here from Hongkong and Yokohama yesterday at noon. A light passenger list was brought in, there being forty first class, thirty-nine second, and in the steerage quarters 127 Chinese.

Of the travelers disembarking at this port, A. E. Patten, of Calcutta, was going to Duncan to visit friends. He has been with the British army forces in India, and on retiring has come to Canada with the intention of settling on the land. Most of the others leaving here were bound for Seattle and distant United States points. C. W. Weinburg was bound for Oakland; Mrs. Louise E. Husey for Chicago; and Mr. C. M. Williamson for Dallas, Texas. S. G. Hache, of Kingston, Ont., came off here. Eight of the Orientals in the steerage landed at this port, as did Mohan Singh and G. E. Yun, Andale traveling second class, and routed for the United States.

The Monteaigle brought in a light cargo. She cleared for Vancouver shortly after two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

## SHIPPING NOTES

The C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Traveler left Vancouver for Nanaimo Thursday to return to Vancouver for Alberni for lumber before clearing for Australia. She will also have a considerable shipment of dynamite aboard.

The N.Y.K. Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K. freighter from the Orient for Vancouver, passed up for Vancouver last night at 8 o'clock. The Genoa Maru, another freighter of the N.Y.K., passed out to sea at 1:20 a.m. today. She takes out some big slicks of B.C. timber.

The tanker Ben Brewster passed out to sea from the Mainland last night at 10 o'clock for San Francisco. In twelve hours she will be loaded with 7,000 barrels of oil, some 7,000 tons weight, into the Imperial Oil Co.'s tanks at Esquimalt. She is one of the biggest of the company's oil carriers.

The Canadian Observer, Capt. Cooper, was at Nanaimo coaling yesterday. The Canadian Observer has just been overhauled at Wallace's North Vancouver. The Canadian Highlander is loading lumber at Vancouver and is due to sail for Australia October 15.

The Canadian Scottish is loading lumber at Port Moody. She is going to Australia with the cargo that was to go out on the Canadian Explorer.

The Cardignabre has cleared from Great Britain for this coast in the service of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line, and is due in this vicinity October 15. The Mollere is expected October 25 from Southampton and Glasgow.

The Harrison Direct Line freighter Collegian docked yesterday morning at seven o'clock, landing one thousand cases of liquor here. More of the same stuff was aboard for Vancouver, whither she cleared last night. Outward she takes 50,000 feet of lumber and 2,000 cases of canned salmon.

## THREE U.S. OFFICERS ARE KILLED BY FALL

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 16.—Lieut. Armstrong and two enlisted men, Sergeants Gibson and White, from Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, were instantly killed at Love Field, Dallas, today, when an army observation plane in which they were flying went into a spin at an altitude of about 150 feet and crashed to the earth. The machine burst into flames just as it struck the ground.

## CREW OF BURNING BOAT WERE RESCUED

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The steamer Humboldt arrived here today with the six members of the crew of the power launch Lotus, which was burned at sea Wednesday night off Point Hueneme, Ventura County. The Humboldt was in the near vicinity of the Lotus when the fire broke out.

For one hour the men fought vainly to subdue the flames, which gradually drove the crew to the bow of the boat. Unable to reach the craft because of the destruction of the lifeboats, the crew were at the mercy of fate when they were rescued by the steamer Humboldt.

Flames from the burning vessel illuminated the sea for miles. The captain of the Humboldt said his vessel was en route from Santa Clara when he sighted the fire.

## PRESIDENT PRAISES CREW OF IMPORTER

Head of C.G.M.M. Wires Congratulations to Captain Biset—Praises Seamanship of Officers and Men

The decision of Capt. Carl Bisett, of the Canadian Importer, to stay by his ship despite her desperate plight, and the courageous behavior of officers and men throughout the whole trying time that the vessel was helpless and in danger of sinking in the Pacific, has brought the following telegram of appreciation and congratulation from D. B. Hanna, president of the C.G.M.M. at Montreal. The wire has been forwarded to Capt. Bisett by E. C. Keeley, manager at Vancouver.

"On safe arrival in port of Canadian Importer, president desires to extend to captain, officers and crew his hearty congratulations, and to express his full appreciation of their admirable courage and devotion in staying with the ship; also to those who, at great risk, set out for assistance in open boats."

"A. J. HILL, 'Assistant to the President.' The men of the Importer have been paid off and have scattered to their homes. The officers and engineers are staying with the ship however."

## SHIPPING INFORMATION

**Shipping Movements**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Arrived: Yonah, New York; Johanna, Manila; Coos Bay; Wapama, Astoria; Itose City, Portland. Sailed: Nome City, Seattle; Stockton, Honolulu.  
HONOLULU, Sept. 16.—Arrived: Edmore, Manila; Leon, Angeles. Sailed: Wheatland, Montana; Manila, West Ivis, Manila; Proteus, Manila; Suwa Maru, Manila.  
TACOMA, Sept. 16.—Arrived: Queen, San Francisco. Sailed: Manila Maru, Vancouver, B.C.  
PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 16.—Arrived: West Cayote, Yokohama. Sailed: Bruah, Seattle; Yone Maru, Europe.  
KOBE, Sept. 16.—Arrived: Kalabo Maru, Portland, Ore.  
MARU, Portland, Ore., Sept. 16.—Arrived: Maru, Portland, Ore.  
ST. VINCENT, Sept. 16.—Sailed: Begonia No. 1, Astoria.  
HONGKONG, Sept. 16.—Sailed: Taihybius, Seattle.

## TIDES AT VICTORIA

Day	Time	High	Time	Low	Time	High	Time	Low
1	9:51	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
2	1:50	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
3	2:51	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
4	3:52	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
5	4:53	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
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19	6:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
20	7:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
21	8:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
22	9:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
23	10:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
24	11:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
25	12:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
26	1:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
27	2:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
28	3:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
29	4:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15
30	5:59	6:44	12:15	6:03	4:24	1:50	6:32	5:15

The time used in Pacific Standard for the 12th Meridian west of it is counted from 6 to 24 hours midnight to midnight. The figure for height serve to distinguish 19th Water from 20th Water. When Alaska occurs in the tables, the tide rises of falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower low water.

Regulation—To find the depth of water on the sill of the Drydock at any tide, add 14.6 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

**Sunrise and Sunset**  
Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of September, 1921.

Day	Time	Day	Time
1	5:39	16	6:01
2	5:35	17	6:02
3	5:32	18	6:03
4	5:29	19	6:04
5	5:26	20	6:05
6	5:23	21	6:06
7	5:20	22	6:07
8	5:17	23	6:08
9	5:14	24	6:09
10	5:11	25	6:10
11	5:08	26	6:11
12	5:05	27	6:12
13	5:02	28	6:13
14	4:59	29	6:14
15	4:56	30	6:15

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

## TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS

China and Japan  
Proteus, mails close September 14, 8 a.m.  
Suwa Maru, mails close September 15, p.m.  
Silver State, mails close September 17, p.m.  
Manila Maru, mails close September 24, p.m.  
Monteaigle, mails close September 24, p.m.  
Kagawa, September 15, noon, direct.  
Maru, September 20, 5 p.m., via San Francisco.

Honolulu  
September 4, 14, 15, 25.  
Ship Date  
Monteaigle ..... September 16  
Teuani ..... September 16  
Fushimi ..... September 20  
Suwa Maru ..... September 25

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## SILVER STATE TO SAIL SECOND TIME

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On her second voyage to the Orient the Admiral Line steamship Silver State, Capt. E. P. Bartlett, will clear from here this afternoon, probably about five o'clock. She takes out a capacity cargo, ninety first class passengers and a full complement of 399 persons in the steerage.

At this port the vessel will be joined by 295 Orientals, taking steerage passage to China, and three cabin passengers who have booked in the East but are meeting the ship here. One of the three is James A. Thomas, president of the Chinese American Bank of Commerce at Peking. G. W. Parsons, vice-president of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Steamship Company, is also going out by the Silver State.

## THREATENED SALE OF RUNNYMEDE STOPPED

Historic Place Where Magna Charta Was Wrested From King John Will Not Pass Into Private Hands

The English-speaking races throughout the world will doubtless feel relieved that the British Government have decided to withdraw Runnymede from sale, says The Christian Science Monitor. "To withdraw Runnymede from sale"—the words have to be repeated. The most historic site in England was actually in danger of being knocked down at auction; not in ignorance, but with the full cognizance of the Crown authorities, with full knowledge of the momentous event in which King John and his Barons took part seven hundred years ago.

The advertisement of the property ran thus: "On the Manor Farm is Runnymede. The armies of King John and the Confederate Barons encamped here for the signing of the Magna Charta on July 15, 1215." Magna Charta was "sealed," not "signed," but let that pass. In July which the historic meadow stands) so far forgot his peaceful calling as to threaten to pitch the auctioneer into the river if he tried to effect a sale. The matter was raised in the House of Commons, and at length Sir Arthur Boscawen, who is Minister of Agriculture, announced that Runnymede had been withdrawn from sale.

So little had the public realized what was on hand that not a single bid was made for the historic site; whereupon the Crown authorities.

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## Conciliation Board HAS BEEN COMPLETED

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—The Board of Conciliation between the railway companies and the five railroad brotherhoods in the matter of the wage dispute is now complete by the appointment of Judge McLennan, of Montreal, as chairman.

The appointment was made by the Minister of Labor in the absence of a joint recommendation by Isaac Phillips, K.C., of Winnipeg, who acts for the employers, and David Campbell, barrister, also of Winnipeg, who is the employees' representative.

It is expected that the board will get together immediately, but it was not announced where it would sit.

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## MINISTER OPENS DUNCAN EXHIBITION

Hon. S. F. Tolmie Formally  
Declares Annual Fall Fair of  
Cowichan Agricultural So-  
ciety Ready for Business

DUNCAN, Sept. 14.—Roy Scobie, Girl Guides, Wolf Cubs and Brownies lined up at 12 noon in front of the Cowichan Agricultural Hall and formed quite an imposing guard of honor, to welcome the Honorable Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, when he arrived from Victoria, to formally open the Fall Fair of the society, which is now in progress. The guard of honor was under the command of Rev. A. Schlegel, and included Girl Guide troops from Cobble Hill, under their captain, Miss McDonald; Cowichan Station troops, under Miss Phyllis Wallich; Duncan Girl Guides, under their captain, Miss Denny; and Miss Geoghegan, and the Brownies, under their leader, Joyce Henslow, with the local Scouts and Cubs.

Dr. Tolmie walked through the building, and expressed himself very favorably impressed with the showing in the various classes. On conclusion of the children's sports this afternoon addresses will be made by Dr. Tolmie and other prominent men.

The district exhibits, including, however, Westholme, Cowichan and Glenora, are all out to vie for the honors in this division, and each district has spared no pains to bring its respective merits in produce, fruit, grain, poultry, vegetables and everything that the special community boasts of before the keen eye of the judges. Glenora annexed the honors last year, but they are in strong again this year, but Cowichan local, U. F. B. C., and the other districts showing, are determined to wrest the honors from them.

The Indian Division is an interesting section, containing a great assortment of women knitted work and basket work. The exhibit of the Indians in garden produce, with over twenty entries in potatoes, many of them which would rank well in any agricultural show, makes the keenest competition among the exhibits for the reserves. Deserving of mention also is the splendid showing of the bread made by the Indians, and their bottled fruit.

**Education Section**  
The Education Section, which is arrayed on the stage, is a miniature exhibition in itself, where the work of girls and boys ranging from the High School class down to the kindergarten grades is shown. This section embraces domestic science, sewing and manual training.

Tomorrow will be a big day, and it is expected that there will be a record crowd in attendance. The show will be formally opened at noon by the Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture in the exhibit of the Indian Scouts and the Girl Guides will form a guard of honor, and these companies will be reviewed by the Rev. T. R. Henneage, Commissioner for the Boy Scouts for the Province, and Mrs. Tyrell (Gidman), Chief Commissioner of the Girl Guides for the Island.

The livestock exhibits will come in tomorrow morning and the judging will commence at 1 o'clock p.m. Tomorrow is Children's Day. The children have been granted a holiday, and a splendid programme of sports has been arranged as the chief attraction.

The Better Babies Contest, which is under the direction of the house committee of the King's Daughters' Hospital, Mrs. Anne Matheson, R.R. C., and Dr. H. N. Watson, with Dr.

Arthur G. Price, of Victoria, acting as medical examiner, brought in an entry of thirty-five contestants.

The arts section holds many interesting treasures. Captain E. G. Williams' work evoking much commendation, especially his model of an old house in Bailleul, France, made while Captain Williams was a prisoner of war in Germany, and it was made from the wood collected in camp, the tools used being his penknife and a file.

Also another model that created much interest was the Captain's model of an American U-boat chaser, fitted with Liberty engine, and made absolutely to scale.

The prizes awarded in the divisions of Flowers and Fanny Work, today were as follows:

**Division 13—Flowers**  
Collection of Ferns and Foliage Plants: First, Miss M. Wilson; Specimen Plant in Flower: First, Mrs. James Platt; second, Mrs. J. Darlington.

Specimen Plant in Flower: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. James Rowen.

Collection of Asters, three blooms of each variety: First, W. H. Hopkins; second, Mrs. Oscar Daye.

Collection of Pansies and Violets: First, A. A. Herd; second, Donald Marrs.

Collection of Chrysanthemums: First, Miss M. Mariner; second, R. M. Palmer.

Three Varieties of Dahlias, three blooms of each variety: First, R. M. Palmer; second, H. Humphries.

Collection of Dahlias: First, H. Humphries; second, R. M. Palmer.

Six Varieties of Sweet Peas, six blooms of each: First, Mrs. M. Mariner; second, Mrs. M. P. Porter; second, Mrs. B. B. B. B.

Collection of Twelve Varieties of Sweet Peas, six blooms of each: First, Mrs. M. Mariner; second, Mrs. M. P. Porter; second, Mrs. B. B. B. B.

Collection of Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 14—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 15—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 16—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 17—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 18—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

**Division 19—Ladies' Work**  
Six Varieties of Hardy Garden Flowers, not annuals: First, R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Antirrhinums: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. R. M. Palmer; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Michaelmas Daisies: First, G. H. Townsend; second, L. W. Huntington.

Collection of Roses: First, H. Humphries; second, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins.

Baby's Jacket, crocheted: First, Mrs. J. A. Labron; second, Miss Irma Rudkin.

Pair Knitted Socks, fine wool: First, Miss B. M. Hall; second, Mrs. J. H. Whitmore.

Pair Knitted Socks, coarse wool: First, Miss B. M. Hall; second, Mrs. H. Rice.

Child's Dress, machine-made: First, Mrs. J. A. Labron; second, Mrs. C. F. Davis.

Child's Dress, machine-made: First, Mrs. J. A. Labron; second, Mrs. T. G. Sheppard.

Child's Tucked Petticoat: First, Mrs. J. A. Labron; second, Mrs. T. L. Briggs.

Six Button Holes, made in one article: First, Miss M. Wilson; second, Miss L. Rudkin.

Hemstitching, any article: First, Miss L. Rudkin; second, Mrs. E. W. Latter.

Darned Woolen Socks or Stockings: First, Miss M. E. Wilson.

Hand Bag, any variety: First, Mrs. E. W. Latter; second, Mrs. Bannister.

Tattooing, any article: First, Mrs. W. J. Jennings; second, Miss Margaret Evans.

Collection Four Hand-made Articles: First, Mrs. A. B. Rice; second, Miss K. Rudkin.

Collection Four Machine-made Articles: First, Mrs. H. W. Dickie; second, Mrs. J. A. Labron.

Collection of Fanny Work, six articles: First, Mrs. W. H. Truesdale; second, Mrs. W. H. Truesdale.

Hand-made Hat: First, Mrs. Tauts; second, Mrs. Bannister.

**Division 10—Fruit**  
Display three boxes Wealthy: First, W. J. Jennings; second, Mrs. Innes Noad.

Display one box of Kings: First, W. J. Jennings.

Display one box of Ontario: First, W. J. Jennings.

Display A. O. V. one box: First, W. J. Jennings.

Display of Peas, commercially packed: First, W. J. Jennings; second, G. T. Corfield.

Box of Apples, packed by exhibitor: First, W. J. Jennings; second, Mrs. W. J. Jennings.

Box of Peas, packed by exhibitor: First, W. J. Jennings; second, Mrs. W. J. Jennings.

Crate of Plums, named: First, R. M. Palmer.

Blenheim Orange: First, C. A. Johnson; second, G. C. Rigby.

Gravenstein: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, F. E. Williams.

Wealthy: First, W. J. Jennings; second, H. K. P. Sunderland.

Cox Orange: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, R. M. Palmer.

Ceiling Pippin: First, W. J. Jennings; second, G. C. Rigby.

A. O. V. Fall Variety, named: First, F. E. Williams; second, G. C. Rigby.

Collection of Three Fall Varieties, named: First, W. J. Jennings; second, A. J. Rudkin.

Bell Pippin: Second, T. Speers.

Ben Davis: First, Rev. E. M. Schellen; second, R. H. Whidden.

Canada Reinet: First, G. C. Rigby; second, T. Speers.

Plum, twelve Grand Duke: First, J. A. Hartley.

Plum, twelve Pond's Seedlings: First, J. A. Hartley; second, Mrs. Stillwell.

Plum, twelve Yellow Egg: First, Mrs. Stillwell; second, F. E. Williams.

Plum, twelve A. O. V. First, J. A. Hartley; second, R. M. Palmer.

Italian, twelve: First, J. A. Hartley; second, F. E. Williams.

Bruner, twelve A. O. V. Second, Mrs. Vaux.

Peaches, five: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, L. M. Roomer.

Grapes, one plate: First, T. Speers; second, E. H. Williams.

Blackberries, one quart: First, Mrs. G. G. Share.

Loganberries: First, Mrs. G. G. Share; second, Mrs. G. G. Share.

Medlars, twelve: First, Rev. E. M. Schellen.

Quince, five: First, J. H. Whitmore; second, E. G. Williams.

Jonathan, five: First, A. Thackeray; second, L. Ashby.

Green Golden, five: First, R. M. Palmer; second, W. J. Jennings.

King of Tompkins County, five: First, W. J. Jennings; second, R. B. Sander.

Northern Spy, five: First, W. J. Jennings; second, T. Speers.

Ribston Pippin, five: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, L. Ashby.

Rhode Island Greening, five: First, L. F. Norie; second, T. Speers.

Ontario, five: First, W. J. Jennings; second, A. J. Rudkin.

Wagner, five: First, P. Campbell; second, Mrs. Campbell.

Collection of Five Winter Varieties, named: First, W. J. Jennings; second, A. J. Rudkin.

A. O. V. five, named: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, W. J. Jennings.

Crabapples, twelve: First, W. J. Jennings; second, A. J. Reil.

Bartlett, five: First, J. A. Hartley; second, W. J. Jennings.

Bourne Hardy, five: First, G. H. Hadden.

Bourne Boussock, five: First, A. J. Rudkin; second, G. H. Hadden.

Bourne Clairgeau, five: First, J. A. Hartley; second, W. J. Jennings.

Oil Colors—Landscape: First, Jan. Christison.

Marine: First, Jan. Christison.

Water Color Study Figure: First, Mrs. G. P. Tauts.

Life Study, Animal: First, G. H. Townsend; second, J. Speers.

Portrait: First, Mrs. Wallich; second, Miss B. H. Hadden.

Seascape: First, Mrs. Leathers; second, Mrs. Wallich.

Still Life or Flowers: First, E. S. Roomer; second, Miss H. Hadden.

Any Medium—Conventional Design: First, Gordon Thorne; second, Mrs. Bannister.

Portrait: First, E. S. Roomer; second, G. de T. Cunningham.

Arts and Crafts—Woodwork: First, C. Debever; second, R. E. Roomer.

Rackets: First, C. F. Martin; second, Miss K. Rudkin.

Original Needlework: First, Mrs. Bannister.

Toy: First, Mrs. Bannister; second, K. Rudkin; third, L. T. Roomer.

Models: First, H. R. Garrard (H. C.); E. G. Williams (H. C.); J. R. Underwood.

**Photographs**  
Landscape Taken in District: First, H. R. Garrard; second, Miss M. Mariner.

Portrait Taken Out of Doors: First, W. C. Coates; second, Miss M. Mariner.

Snapshot of Child: First, Miss M. Mariner; second, Mrs. J. W. Cavin.

Collection of Six Farm Scenes: First, Mrs. J. W. Cavin; second, Brig. Gen. C. H. Hadden.

Snapshot of Animals: First, W. C. Coates; second, E. D. Townsend.

Best Interior: First, Mrs. O. W. Rice; second, L. N. Roomer.

**Division 13—Flowers**  
Table Decoration: First, Mrs. H. Edwards; second, Mrs. G. Sheppard.

**Division 14—Field Produce**  
Wheat, Fall: First, F. W. Williams.

Oats, one bushel: First, Mrs. E. A. Price; second, G. H. Hadden.

Field Peas: First, J. W. Cavin.

Ensilage Corn: First, L. F. Solly; second, H. H. Townsend.

Turnips, six, seedling, for eating: First, F. B. Pemberton; second, Rev. E. M. Schellen.

Turnips, six A. O. V.: First, C. de T. Cunningham.

Mangels, six long red: First, Rev. E. M. Schellen; second, E. M. Schellen.

Mangels, six globe: First, T. Doney.

Mangels, six tankard or half long: First, R. N. Mariner; second, Gordon White.

Sugar Mangels: First, P. C. Jaynes; second, E. M. Schellen.

Carrots, six long, white or yellow: First, J. Nesbitt.

Carrots, six intermediate, white or red: First, Rev. E. M. Schellen; second, Wm. Speers.

Thousand-Headed Kale, two heads: First, W. Waldon; second, A. J. Rudkin.

Sunflowers, three plants: First, Brig. Gen. G. H. Hadden; second, F. B. Pemberton.

Sheaf of Grass, Timothy: First, J. Nesbitt; second, G. W. Owens.

Sheaf of Grass, orchard grass: First, T. Doney.

Sheaf of Grass, top: First, T. Doney.

Sheaf of Grass, A. O. V.: First, T. Doney; second, T. Doney.

Sheaf of Clover, red: First, G. W. Owens; second, T. Doney.

Sheaf of Clover, white: First, G. W. Owens; second, T. Doney.

Sheaf of Clover, alfalfa: First, G. W. Owens.

Sheaf of Oats: First, B. C. Walker; second, G. W. Owens.

Sheaf of Barley: First, G. W. Owens.

Sheaf of Wheat: First, F. E. Williams; second, G. W. Owens.

Loaf of Bread: First, Mrs. Geo. Kier; second, Miss B. M. Hall.

Loaf of Brown Bread (yeast): First, Mrs. W. Diron; second, Mrs. O. W. Rice.

Loaf of Bread made with Robin Hood Flour: First, Mrs. W. P. Jaynes; second, Mrs. B. M. Hall.

Loaf of Bread made with Royal Standard Flour: First, Mrs. A. C. Wilson; second, Mrs. W. Murchie.

Loaf of Nut Bread: First, Mrs. Jas. Duncan; second, Mrs. C. E. Robson.

Loaf of Raisin Bread: First, Miss A. M. Simpson.

English Tea Cake (yeast): Second, Mrs. W. Diron.

Plain Rolls: First, Mrs. W. Murchie; second, Mrs. G. Colk.

Sultana Cake: First, Miss A. M. Simpson; second, Mrs. J. N. Savage.

Baking Powder Scones: First, Miss F. Vaux; second, Miss L. Rudkin.

Pan of Biscuits, Magic Baking Powder: First, Mrs. F. C. Holmes; second, Mrs. A. H. Lomas.

Pan of Biscuits, Empress Baking Powder: First, Mrs. F. C. Holmes; second, Mrs. A. H. Lomas.

Pan of Biscuits, Maltine Baking Powder: Second, Mrs. Skrimshire.

Fruit Cake, not less than 3 lbs.: First, Mrs. Jas. Duncan; second, Miss Molly Stephenson.

Layer Cake: First, Mrs. H. W. Dickie; second, Mrs. E. Hammond.

Scotch Short Bread: First, Mrs.

## Vancouver Island Poet Offers Tribute to Dante

John Herbert Gray, of Sooke, Completes Translation of "Inferno" as Contribution to Sixty-centenary of Italy's National Poet—Dedication "to Canada" Given Herewith

Coincident with the sixtieth anniversary of the death of Dante, Mr. John Herbert Gray, of Sooke, has completed a translation of the great Italian's "Inferno." The translation is in the heroic measure, made classic in the couplets of Dryden's Virgil and Pope's Homer.

Mr. Gray began his translation twenty years ago, in South Africa. He worked on it at intervals in the ensuing years; and has been moved to complete it as his contribution to the present world-wide celebration of

the immortal Florentine. Arrangements are making for the speedy publication of the translation. Mr. Gray has been encouraged by the opinion of the librarian of the British Museum, to whom a copy of the work was submitted; and who pronounced it a fine specimen of the heroic measure, and as fine a translation of Dante as any in the English tongue.

Mr. Gray has dedicated his translation to his wife, and to Canada. The inscription and the dedication are as follows:

Firstly, to my beloved wife and,  
Secondly, to Canada.  
The land of my adoption,  
I dedicate this work.

To a dear land of maple and pine,  
Of forest wild and of meadow plain,  
Far, far above yon snow-eyre'd pine,  
A wheeling eagle flies with sunlit wing,  
I am not envious of such quiet content;  
I watch the eagle while he soars from the ethereal door,  
From where blest founts of inspiration spring,  
There might one's soul in ecstasy outpour  
Itself, high'd, the imperious Dante speaks,  
I but his shadow cast upon the floor,  
He stands, superb, before our ardent gaze,  
With laurel diadem, incoronate;  
More honour'd he, thro' out the studious land,  
Than conqueror or mightiest potentate.  
In the mediæval night of ignorance  
To Florence born, sublimely came the one  
From heights Parnassian who, with lambent flame,  
Rekindled our minds and gave the world a sun,  
Whose generous warmth inspir'd the heart of man  
And shed its lustre an Aegina's fame,  
Where genius, dead or charmed by heliotes,  
Uprose like Phoenix on its ash again,  
Thro' darkness, ever winning to the light  
Fled winged thought, toward the splendid morn,  
Rose-united, with hues of sapphire, orient gold,  
That broke, coruscant, o'er a world re-born,  
To shed new light and vigor thro' the soul:  
That spur'd ambition on, to seek renown  
And win, thro' prowess or efficacy,  
A jewell'd halo or a diaphanous crown,  
The "Inferno" light, the undulating wave,  
All quivering Arles and the Star of Love,  
Newly shone on Earth with more resurgent ray,  
Than inspiration pour'd from Heaven above,  
Could rich Golconda's wealth, with that of Ind,  
Be harvested with El Dorado's store,  
It could but pay the blood-guilt wage of Sin,  
With fash'd Art still pleading at the door,  
Not lust of power that gluts the tyrant's rage,  
Nor gold, nor crown of Empire unconqu'd,  
But burning zeal for freedom's frantic cause,  
That away'd the fumes, and inspir'd a mind  
Thro' dead long years and scar'd in funeral robes,  
Neath Latian marbles—mute as Sphinx of old,  
Thy name pulsating down Time's endless stream,  
Is honour'd yet, inscribed in letters gold,  
I'd fain—this tribute plac'd at thy cold feet—  
Mid surging nations strive, my hand upraise  
To thee alone, as thou the Titan bear,  
With full outpourings from the fountains of praise,  
Distracted soul, thy Florence knew thee not;  
Bavenna, where thou portendest forth thy breath,  
Enshrin'd thy dust, devoutly guarding yet,  
Thou, whom she knew, both living and in death,  
No superdotal power, nor civic threat,  
Restrain'd thy whirling tongue when thou, of old,  
Didst fling melodious challenge on the air  
And thunders, thro' revolving ages roll'd.



## A TRIP TO ALASKA

By Wm. H. Groppe.

We left Vancouver at the hour of 9 p.m., August 27, on the good ship Princess Alice, Captain Slater, of the Canadian Pacific B.C. Coast Steamship Service. It was a warm evening, the sea was calm. The stars were shining brightly. After wandering about the deck until it was getting rather late, we decided to turn in, but before retiring enjoyed a sumptuous repast of cheese, crackers and tea.

Not wishing to miss the scenic splendors of the entrance to the Narrows, we arose with the daylight. At the Narrows the tide runs very fast, which is caused by the Pacific Ocean rushing in around the north end of Vancouver Island and passing down the various channels. Our boat met the tide easily, but now that the entrance was passed, the ship took a course through a body of water with a surface resembling glass, and as clear as crystal. On each side we viewed scenery which exceeded our expectations, and really I am not gifted with the philosophy of condensing the grandeur and beauty of the surrounding landscape in a concise metaphor which would do full justice to what the eye has seen.

After about fourteen hours sailing we reached Alert Bay, one of the principal salmon canneries on the Coast. Alert Bay is a beautiful situation on the northeast shore of Vancouver Island, overlooking Broughton Strait. We disembarked for a short while and took in the same time looking about this quaint and historic settlement, and the first impression one gathers is that the Indian is content to live in the same indolent sphere which has been his enjoyment for generations, and makes no effort to follow the modern pursuits of the white man, nor fall in line with the rapid strides of progress, but yet there is in them a unique attraction which impresses the tourist. The ancestry or clan of each family is represented by a huge pole before the antiquated dwellings. However, much of this superstition and belief is gradually dying, and many Indians are becoming followers of the Christian Church—the Church of England and Methodists working amongst them. We were fortunate to be able to look in upon a service to the English Church, a pretty little building, where the congregation was composed of whites and Indians. The Indians are exceedingly fond of the service, and the pastor recited the prayers in Indian. The passengers spent some time "snapping" pictures of different families, together with their traditional mark of ancestry—the totem pole. Some of them disliked their pictures being taken, and would hide their faces or, at times, turn away. At times, however, they would pose for the camera, and a few of the pictures have already been taken. There was a terrible odor of fish prevalent, and we were forced to leave the place after a stay of forty-five minutes was ended.

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## Ketchikan

Leaving Rupert a heavy rain was encountered, and the ship was sailing through the open sea, a stretch of ninety-three miles to Ketchikan. We arrived at Ketchikan about 7 o'clock in the evening, where a stop-over of four and a half hours was made. Ketchikan is a picturesque and well laid out town at the base of the mountains, but the heavy rain did not give us a very good impression of the climatic conditions. However, in spite of the humidity a number of passengers gathered a little pluck and went to the waterfront, a ten minutes' walk from the dock. There we saw the turbulent waters of Ketchikan River flowing at such a speed that the sufficient falls seemed a gurgling mass of soapy foam, as the torrential waters from the melting beds of snow and ice dashed over the rocks to reach the eddies in the stream which carried them to their outlet. We saw hundreds of salmon swimming their lives in endeavoring to ascend the falls to reach the upper river to perpetuate the species. It was marvelous to watch them in their attempt to succeed by jumping into the surging foam, only to be dashed back again against the rocks and boulders.

In about six more hours we were at Wrangell. This port is an old Indian and Russian station, and only a short stay lay ahead, but on the southbound trip a sufficient stop-over allowed so that the passengers may view the very old totem and see other places of interest.

A few hours from Wrangell we were sailing through the famous Wrangell Narrows. These Narrows are twenty miles in length, very narrow, with many turns and windings, but well marked with buoys and beacons. No passenger should miss seeing the ship navigate these waters at the north of which is situated the very old town of Petersburg, at one time a Russian settlement, and now a flourishing fishing port.

After passing through these narrows a 112-mile run is made in seven and a half hours to Taku Glacier at the head of Taku Inlet, where a close view of this colossal mass of ice is revealed. This is one of the most famous glaciers of the North, and moves at a greater rate of speed than any other glacier. The ship was pulled up to within half a mile of the glacier, when the whistle was blown, and on various occasions we were told that the vibration caused large pieces of ice to break off and fall into the water. It was interesting to learn that Taku Glacier is one mile wide, and extends over ninety miles from Taku Inlet over the mountains in the background, where it joins Llewellyn Glacier. The eye surveyed a magnificent scene of nature, while other passengers expected offerings of money for the privilege. One old woman told us she was a hundred years old, and when she was handed a chocolate, that it was at times but close to her diadem the picture had already been taken. There was a terrible odor of fish prevalent, and we were forced to leave the place after a stay of forty-five minutes was ended.

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## CANADIAN RAILWAYS DISCERN BETTER DAYS

Toronto Expert Believes That End of Deflation and Revival of Trade Will Improve Their Position

In its last bulletin the Citizens' Research Institute of Canada asks the question: "When is a public utility paying its way?" That is a very pertinent and opportune inquiry in relation to a matter of first-class importance. The answer of the institute is—says a student of railway finance in the Toronto Globe—"A public utility is paying its way when its revenue is sufficient to pay the direct cost of operation, interest on borrowed capital and other fixed charges, a reasonable amount for contingencies, depreciation on structures and major equipment, and taxes on the same basis—no higher and no lower—as those which would be levied if such utility were privately owned." It will be seen that this is a searching test, which all students of accounting will accept as perfectly sound.

Bookkeeping is a fearful and wonderful thing in the hands of an incompetent man it may, quite unwittingly, make an entirely erroneous showing. In the hands of a designing and unscrupulous man it may be used to deceive deliberately. Those who are familiar with correct accounting methods, and who know anything about the bookkeeping which is applied to at least some of our public utilities in Canada, will be prepared to believe that this showed true would show startling unaccountable in the statements that are from time to time given out in relation to such undertakings.

## Rising Volume of Taxes

Taxes are increasing at an alarming rate in Canada. Although Canada may not be as rapidly increasing as some of the rapidly they are increasing. At what point the limit of safety and the bearing capacity of the people who are being taxed is reached, no one can say. One can read comprehensively the reports which the Citizens' Research Institute has recently been issuing on this subject, and which show that the combined provincial and municipal taxes are combined, and to that sum is added the indirect taxes which grow out of transportation and similar levies on the common people, the aggregate is very large. For example, every man, woman and child in Toronto was in 1919 bearing a burden of \$13.19 in direct taxes, and \$13.19 in indirect taxes, or \$26.38 in total. In some of the smaller cities the per capita liability is twenty per cent higher than that.

In the final reckoning of course, account must be taken of service given in return and the assets for which the debts stand. It is to be feared, however, that there has been, on the whole, an over-charge, and that the burden of the taxes has been increased. It is conceivable that if the people were properly informed as to their burdens and were in process of building their own outflow. But they were not, for the most part. It is so easy to conceal the true state of affairs by unsound or disreputable bookkeeping; an easy to pass into capital accounts which few people take the pains to analyze, what is properly chargeable to revenue. By that means municipal and other bodies have been credited with frugality when they should have been condemned for extravagance.

## Are the Railways Paying?

Railways are public utilities, and the test here under discussion goes right to the core of the railway situation in Canada. So far as the old Government lines and the comparative new Transcontinental are concerned, it leaves naked and unexplained the soundness of the capital account with which the people are familiar. That account shows only the original cost of construction, without a penny charged for interest during the building period, interest and depreciation subsequently or contingencies. The difference between that method and correct accounting amounts to several hundred million dollars. The actual capital cost of the roads is concealed under several headings, and the account relating to the public debt. Yet this has not lessened the real burden by a single farthing. It has merely hidden it. In this situation the courage should at once be found to let the truth be known—the giving effect of sound bookkeeping, as against unsound bookkeeping.

As for the corporate railways, they keep their books in accordance with what is recognized as the best methods which human skill has been able to devise. They know where they stand. Their capital accounts are sound, and all charges which attach to revenues are correctly made. How then do they stand on their own showing? The answer is startling. They are in an exceedingly weak position as a group. Last year their gross earnings were within only 2.32 per cent of operating expenses. For the month of January last every dollar they received was overbalanced by an operating cost of \$1.08. By May, however, they had pulled down



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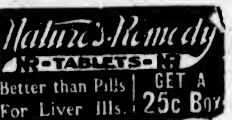
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## A Better Outlook

But a favorable balance of 4.75 cents on the dollar falls far short of making them solvent. Out of the 1920 was but \$13,936,000, they had to pay \$15,553,900 in taxes, \$59,102,279 on account of interest on debt, and well

as several millions of other unavoidable outlay. They couldn't do it, except in one way—by adding to capital account the necessary borrowings. This still left them without the required ways for depreciation. That is the plain truth about our railways as a group, however distressing it may be.

Yet there is light on the horizon. We are now all familiar with the causes which brought our railways to this state of poverty, chief among which were the exorbitant labor at a time when resistance could not be asserted, and those who are studying the situation in both Canada and the United States are confident the worst is over. The burdensome payroll is in a fair way of being adjusted downward, and traffic cannot very well

shrink any farther. There are signs of a general revival of trade, and the railways have laid a sound foundation for the best possible financial results as that revival becomes positive.

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## FLOUR PRICES DROP; FEED ITEMS CHANGE

Salt Spring and V.I. Milk Producers' Butter Down Five Cents—Bartlett Pears Take Pronounced Rise

A noticeable drop in the figures on the flour market was reported yesterday, there being reductions in the various brands of flour. The biggest decline took place in the Wild Rose and B. & K. pastry flour, which varieties have fallen in price from \$3.10 to \$2.90 a sack. Purdy, Royal Standard and B. & K. flour are all quoted at \$2.85, while the Five Rivers and Royal Household brands have also dropped since last May that a move on the flour market has occurred.

Several changes are noted in the feed items, oats having tumbled \$2.00 to \$1.80, in meat, pork, which has been rapidly going down hill, jumped two notches yesterday, and is obtainable at the wholesale, and is obtainable at 24 cents a pound. Veal still remains at its low level of 14 cents.

Fresh fruits are moving steadily, several large consignments of apples having arrived on Wholesale Row since last market day. Italian pears show slight reductions in price, while grape figures are also down. The Malaga are going for \$3.50, and the Tokays are down 25 cents. Bartlett pears have taken a pronounced rise, jumping from \$2.75 and \$3.50 to \$3.75 and \$4.25.

Only a very slight advance is noted in the cantaloupe standards, which for some time have remained quite firm. Honey dew melons have fallen off the market now, after experiencing a heavy demand. Blackberries continue to be snapped up in large quantities. Peaches are 25 cents less than they were on Wednesday. Tuckers apples, which were quoted at \$1.75 for the best quality, are down to \$1.25 and \$1.10 now that they are more plentiful.

Salt Spring butter has dropped five cents, while the Vancouver Island Milk Producers' brand is now standard at 53 cents. Grade No. 2 Creamery butter is up another notch, and the Comox and Cowichan varieties maintain their stability at 53 cents and 58 cents respectively. There are no changes in the price of eggs or cheese.

Asheford potatoes are coming in more rapidly now, and are quoted on Wholesale Row at \$2.50 and \$2.75. New potatoes still stand at \$2.80 and \$3.00 per ton. Local hothouse tomatoes are priced at \$2.50 and \$2.75 and are in great demand. New corn is moving on the market very fast. There has been a great desire for parsnips during the last week, this vegetable being priced at \$2.25 per sack.

## FRUIT, VEGETABLES, DAIRY PRODUCE

(Wholesale)

Butter—  
Comox, 53  
Salt Spring Island, 53  
V.I. Milk Producers, 53  
Royal Standard, 53  
Bartlett, 53  
Grade 1, 53  
Grade 2, 53  
Oleomargarine, 53

Cheese—  
Ontario, 27 1/2  
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Eggs—  
Haddley, 14 1/2  
Ripley, 14 1/2  
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## PROFESSIONALS HOLD CONTROL OF MARKET

Price Movements Are Caused by Operations of Pools—Relaxation in Money Market Is Only Factor

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Professionals again were in undisputed control of the stock market today, but the bullish or constructive members of that party encountered frequent opposition from the short interest.

Dealings were much lighter than on Wednesday, when a new high record for several months was reached. The movement, however, embraced almost as many issues, including many former favorites, notably United States Steel, which was among the leaders throughout.

There were no developments of outstanding importance, dealings being mainly on increasing signs of relaxation in the money market. Call loans eased from 5 to 4 1/2 per cent on the exchange at noon, with abundant outside offerings at 4 per cent.

Pools were most active in equipment, steel, motors and oil, the latter, however, being most vulnerable to pressure. The steel pool was much impaired or entirely cancelled in the obvious profit-sharing of the last hour.

Sales were 500,000 shares. The feature of an otherwise quieting foreign exchange market was a rally of about six points in marks. Sterling was firm, but franc hovered near their recent low quotation.

Liberty issues imparted additional strength to the bond market, all the 3 1/2's, gaining from 20 to 70 points on the day. Ralls continued to improve. Total sales, \$15,150,000.

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## VETERANS FOR AMALGAMATION

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"Whereas in unity lies strength; 'Therefore this mass meeting of ex-service men and women, organized and unorganized, of Victoria and district, adjoining, hereby affirm the principle of amalgamation, and to hasten this end, undertake forthwith to appoint delegates to formulate and carry out plans, and further undertake to make it clear to the respective Dominion commands involved, that to the ex-service men and women of Victoria, amalgamation in any form or other, Dominion, provincial or local, is now an immediate necessity and the situation brooks no delay."

An amendment submitted by Comrade Matheson and seconded by Comrade Knight, one which created some argument and objection, was presented but defeated. It was as follows: "We, returned citizens of Canada assembled for the purpose of hastening the amalgamation of veterans' associations, agree to give our support to an association formed on the basis of the following: 'The veterans' associations now established in this city, provided that such association shall for thirty days after formation invite the other associations to the meeting on equal terms; and further, that we agree to refrain from paying dues to any veterans' association until the number of veterans' associations in the city is reduced by amalgamation or otherwise.'"

The entire lower floor and the loges of the Pantages Theatre was packed, and a few occupants held seats in the balcony. The proceedings were enlivened by a volunteer band under the direction of Bandmaster Miller. Rev. Major W. Barton presided in an acceptable manner, and his duties were nominal, despite the keen interest taken by the veterans in the proceedings.

Following a standing tribute to the fallen comrades, the purpose of the meeting was explained by the chairman, whose suggestion that a message be wired to their comrades in Vancouver, where a similar meeting was being held, was approved. "Victory, amalgamation meeting wishes success to Vancouver comrades." Later in the evening, but not early enough to make the meeting, came a reply from Sir-General R. G. E. Leckie, as follows: "We appreciate your telegram and reciprocate your good wishes and wish you also every success."

A Growing Whelp Referring to the well-known cartoon at the beginning of the war, that depicting the Old Land and the New Land, and her whelp, the Empire to stand for the right. We, one of the whelps, have grown since then. We are going to do our part. He emphasized the returned men, pointing to the large number of veterans who still belong to no organization. "We want every man and woman to join the association. This is a great and living organization, so that those who in the war so bravely executed their purpose at the front may express their policy and politically."

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## BOLD SAYINGS ON WOMEN'S FASHIONS

Many women have fooled the boys a long time, according to Prof. Carl N. Wernitz, of the Academy of Fine Arts, Chicago.

Ninety per cent of the women are honestly—that is if you are able to see enough of them. Prof. Wernitz declared recently, and that was not half of it.

The professor, who qualifies as an authority on women's dress and will advise hundreds of delegates to the Fashion Art League's meeting in Chicago next week, went bravely on record with the following statements:

"A woman is just like a house to be shined—you have to find something which will harmonize with the structure and you have to get an artistic result somehow."

"Mystery is woman's chief power, and she knows it—that is why we will never have a nation of women wear knickerbockers—they reveal too much."

"Each woman must deal with her portions of her body which in her own will create the impression of beauty. If a woman has an unattractive face she may have an excuse to wear short skirts."

"A woman who wears extremely short skirts and low-cut gowns, and otherwise exposes her form is acknowledging she can not win the attention of mankind by less startling means."

"The illusion of beauty which ninety per cent of women must try to achieve can be obtained by the combined effect of them and their garments."

"Garments are the important thing."

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amalgamation were not brought about within the next six weeks, then the returned men might as well keep their mouths shut.

Forgetting In the past three years it had been a case of "forget." He urged those men who had been re-established to turn their minds to the vast army of returned men who were not. He deplored the contention that Canada could not afford to adequately re-establish her veterans. No sum had been set aside to carry on the war. Had the House won that fateful April 3 Canadians would have had to pay, he declared as he pointed to the "half billion" raised for Victory loans, and blamed the Government for paying "countless hundreds of thousands" upon men desiring to go on the land, but nothing was available for the veterans who did not take up land.

He criticized the amount spent on the Mounted Police, who, he said, had refused to aid in the chase after Harry, assailant of Mr. Goodhart, and the action of the Federal Government relative to gratuities as a tragedy rather than a comedy. France, he held, could not afford to refuse a gratuity of \$2,000 or less to such outlays would not alone re-establish the veterans, but also industry, and automatically solve the existing unemployment problem.

"Amalgamation is the political force you hold in your grasp to bring about better conditions for the returned men. Under the banner of the returned men, you do not get results from amalgamation, then, I give it to you, you are all dead, Napco, finished," declared Comrade Christian.

Comrade Mackenzie, of the G.A.T.V., strongly urged amalgamation, pointing to the efforts of Comrade Flynn who, he believed, will be able to get certain returned men from amalgamation, and yet those same men were not found of the platform in support of the move.

"We have now come to the culminating point. Are you going over the top or not? Are you going to get together or not?" asked Comrade Mackenzie, who was answered by a shout, "You bet we are." The present organizations have only secured the crumbs from the rich man's table; amalgamate and we will sit down at that table," he said.

In the Public Eye Speaking for the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada which, he said, "has been in the public eye lately on the liquor question," Comrade H. B. Twigg cited the existing position of the ex-service organization, and likened them to four stumps in one field with none in the other, one of the stumps (the G.W.V.A.) having a gold filling. The present situation appeared to be a case of each organization for itself, fighting to get what it could. Without amalgamation nothing would ever be secured for the suffering men had been through or which their womenfolk feared of. Comrade Mackenzie, of the G.A.T.V., declared that amalgamation could be satisfactorily worked out. If it were not possible to secure a federal amalgamation, then they should try for a provincial one, or lacking that, a local one.

"We never will do anything unless we all come together. We have heard much of what is owing to us; we returned men have also a duty to Can-

ada. You have no right to ask for what you are not entitled to, and until you get Canada behind you, until your cause is just, you cannot expect to get anywhere. A united body will right away proper claims will be in a position to present those claims and secure its just aims," said Comrade Twigg.

A number of questions were put and answered, and after a brief debate upon the amendment submitted by Comrade Matheson, which was defeated, the original resolution was put to a vote.

The meeting terminated with the singing of the National Anthem.

On the platform were seated the presidents of the various organizations: G.W.V.A., Col. Winby; Veterans of France, Mr. Murdoch; Army and Navy Veterans, Major R. Rowlandson, and others.

Mr. Robert McNichol, secretary of the committee, stated that of thirty-three patients circulated, thirty had approved of amalgamation and the remaining nine were in the audience participating in the proceedings.

YPPES CHOIR BOOKS WILL BE RETURNED

George A. Patterson, employed by the City Health Department of Toronto, has in his possession some books of sacred music salvaged from the ruined cathedral of Ypres and is anxious to know what can be done with the volumes.

While with the 9th Brigade headquarters staff Mr. Patterson, then a sergeant of the 58th Battalion, visited the cathedral and uncovered volumes near the ruins of the pipe organ. They had been deeply buried under a mass of debris from the roof and walls, which the German shells had brought down.

The books, four in number, are bound with heavy leather and show signs of being very old. They are not printed, but written, and may have been in the possession of the cathedral for many years. Sergeant Patterson sent the books home, having an opportunity to carry them about through being on the brigade headquarters staff.

He now thinks that the books may be of value and is anxious to see them get back to their original owners. The volumes will very probably be returned to Belgium shortly.

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For the convenience of those who wish for extra service and for our credit customers, we open today this new section. Here our high grade standard of service and quality will be maintained as well as in our Groceries Dept.

—Lower Main Floor

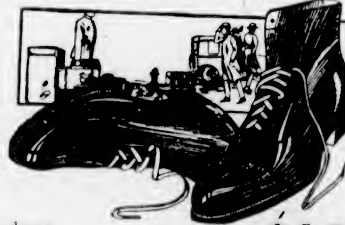
### Our New Tea Room Opens

This afternoon we will open this new section, situated on the 3rd Floor, Broad and View Streets. This airy, well lighted room will surely appeal to all who appreciate comfort as well as artistic excellence. The service will be highly efficient, as all the facilities have been selected and arranged with great care and experienced judgment.

Visit this beautiful and restful tearoom today—you will enjoy it. Direct elevator service to tearoom, 3rd Floor.

## Big Values in Men's and Boys' Boots Today

No better values could be imagined than those offered in these real bargains today. Dependable boots for men and boys.



Men's Fine Black or Brown Calf Boots, made on a smart recede toe last. All sizes at.....**\$4.95**

Men's Box Calf Boots, with solid leather soles and insoles; made on a wide, easy fitting last. All sizes, and extra values at.....**\$3.95**

Men's New Fall Boots that represent the new lower price levels in a remarkable way. The styles include:

Men's Fine Brown Calf Boots, with double soles and medium and narrow toes.....**\$7.85**

Winter Calf Boots, with viscolized double soles.....**\$7.85**

English Made Boots of box calf, with double soles, and smart easy-fitting lasts.....**\$7.85**

Men's First Quality Rubber Knee Boots; all sizes.....**\$4.95**

Men's Storm Rubbers, first quality, all shapes.....**\$1.25**

Boys' Box Calf Solid Leather Boots; all sizes 11 to 5½.....**\$3.65**

Boys' Rubbers, 1st quality; sizes 1 to 5.....**\$1.00**

Sizes 11 to 13 at.....**90c**

—Men's Boots, Main Floor

### Linoleum Rugs in Handsome Designs

Size 6 ft. x 9 ft. at.....**\$10.95**

Size 7 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft. at.....**\$13.95**

Size 9 ft. x 9 ft. at.....**\$16.50**

Size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. at.....**\$19.50**

Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. at.....**\$22.00**

Size 12 ft. x 12 ft. at.....**\$29.50**

—Linoleum Dept., 2nd Floor—Phone 1246

### Our Large New Stock of Men's Caps Features the Latest Styles

Latest styles in High-Grade Tweeds and Worsteds in all the favorite shades. They are dressy caps, that will add a touch of distinction to your suit or overcoat. All are well finished and priced modestly at \$2.50 to.....**\$3.00**

English Caps in all-wool heavy tweeds, all lined and in well assorted shades. Caps for golfing, motorcycling, shooting or for street wear. Excellent values at **\$1.50**

—Cap Dept., Main Floor

### Storyland Opens Today at 3 o'Clock

All Children From the Ages of 5 to 8 Years May Attend

A new store feature that will be of great interest to both children and parents will be opened on the Fourth Floor at

**3:30 o'Clock This Afternoon**

A wonderfully interesting lady has come to stay with us at our big store; she is called the Story Lady, and will have charge of Storyland, a large airy room on the fourth floor, that has been made ready to accommodate the little tots who may come to hear and get acquainted with the Story Lady.

This interesting lady will entertain the children who come to Storyland, with stories rich and rare, stories of a nature that will help develop the plastic mind of the child and turn them toward the higher ideals of life, ideals which if implanted in youth, will result in men and women of greater worth, mentally, morally and physically.

It costs you nothing to have your little boy or girl come to Storyland; you have only to ask at the Stationery Department for a card of admission—then bring your children to the fourth floor where they may be left in charge of the Story Lady.

Mothers are cordially invited to attend the opening of Storyland, or accompany their children at any time and see and hear for themselves, how valuable a few visits to Storyland will be for their little ones.

Storyland opens at 3:30 o'clock today. Get a card of admission in the Stationery Department, on the Lower Main Floor for your little boy or girl—ALL FREE.

—Storyland, 4th Floor

### Groceries Daily Bulletin

Mrs. Porter's Salad Dressing, Small bottles..... <b>21c</b>	Mazola Oil, 2½, per tin..... <b>64c</b>
Large bottles..... <b>41c</b>	Sperry's Pastry Flour, 10 lb. sack..... <b>49c</b>
Mrs. Porter's Thousand Islands Dressing, Small bottles..... <b>30c</b>	H.P. Sauce, bottle..... <b>35c</b>
Large bottles..... <b>59c</b>	Purity Rolled Oats, carton..... <b>24c</b>
Mrs. Porter's Mayonnaise Dressing, Small bottles..... <b>30c</b>	Columbia Vermicelli, 10c pkg. at..... <b>6c</b>
Large bottles..... <b>46c</b>	Arab Tea, ½-lb. pkgs., 25c value..... <b>19c</b>
Irwin & Billings' Tomato Cat-sup, 20c bottles..... <b>11c</b>	Limit, 4 to a customer.
P.P.P. Pink Salmon, tall tins, at..... <b>13c</b>	Bird's Blanc Mange Powder, pkg..... <b>18c</b>
Holbrook's Malt Vinegar at, a bottle..... <b>33c</b>	Red Arrow Sodas, large pkgs. at..... <b>22c</b>
Empress Raspberry Vinegar, bottle..... <b>43c</b>	Royal Standard Rolled Oats, 6-lb. sack..... <b>30c</b>
Albatross Pilchards, ½, per tin..... <b>9c</b>	Lunch Tongues, ½, per tin, 27c
Is, per tin..... <b>14c</b>	Libby's Asparagus Soup, tin, 7c
Toilet Rolls, each..... <b>5½c</b>	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg. at..... <b>10c</b>
	Puffed Rice, pkg..... <b>17c</b>
	Puffed Wheat, pkg..... <b>13c</b>

### Provision Counter Bulletin

Spencer's Prime Alberta Butter at 45c lb., or 3 lbs. for..... <b>\$1.32</b>
No. 1 Alberta Butter at 42c lb., or 3 lbs. for..... <b>\$1.23</b>
"Springfield" Brand Butter, in 1-lb. prints, at, lb..... <b>40c</b>
Pure Lard at 20c lb., or 3 lbs. for..... <b>50c</b>
Spencer's Ayrshire Ham at, lb..... <b>45c</b>
Spencer's Ayrshire Shoulder at, lb..... <b>45c</b>
Skinless Back Bacon, sliced, at, lb..... <b>45c</b>
Swift's Pea Meal Back Bacon, sliced, at, lb..... <b>55c</b>
Choice Smoked Side Bacon, sliced, at 40c lb.; in the piece, lb..... <b>35c</b>
Unsmoked Side Bacon, in the piece, at 30c lb.; sliced at, lb..... <b>32c</b>
Smoked Picnic Hams at, lb..... <b>23c</b>
Unsmoked Picnic Hams at, lb..... <b>21c</b>
Roast Veal at, lb..... <b>65c</b>
Libby's Roast Beef at, lb..... <b>40c</b>
Boiled Ham at, lb..... <b>75c</b>
Baked Ham at, lb..... <b>80c</b>
Cooked Pickled Pig's Feet at 20c lb., or 2 lbs. for..... <b>35c</b>
Cooked Pickled Lamb's Tongues at, lb..... <b>60c</b>
Headcheese, in bowls, at, each..... <b>19c</b>
Baked Loaf at, lb..... <b>35c</b>
Mild Ontario Cheese at, lb..... <b>30c</b>
Canadian Stilton Cheese at, lb..... <b>35c</b>
Imported French Roquefort Cheese at, lb..... <b>\$1.50</b>
Extra Choice B. C. Cheese at, lb..... <b>32c</b>
B. C. Local Fresh Eggs at, dozen..... <b>50c</b>

—Provisions, Lower Main Floor

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